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# TO-DAY'S

## THE DARDANELLES CAMPAIGN.

#### THE PENINSULA.

# The Home Crisis: Nothing Settled.

## LORD FISHER LIKELY TO REMAIN.

### [Rauter's Service to The "Telegraph."]

#### THE DARDANELLES.

### THE ALLIES RESUME THE OFFENSIVE.

May 20, 10.45 a.m. A correspondent writing from the Dardanelles says that on May 10 the Allie who had been reinforced, resumed the offensive, which had been suspended since April 28, is rumoured that Mr. Belfour, Mr. Boner Law, Mr. Austen Chamberwith the object of capturing the western and the eastern lain, Mr. F. E Smith and Lord Darby will enter the cabinet, while rms of the Aki Baba Mountain. The British left rested n Gulf of Saras and the French right on the Dardanelles. The British first line consisted of four brigades of regulars and a haval division, and behind them Indians and the Australians with newly arrived Territ rial division in reserve. The first day's Mr. Balfour is mentioned as likely to be the First Lord of the lighting was almost entirely confined to the right wing where the French advanced over a mile. The British left advanced on the morning of the 7th and captured a number of trenches in face of a errible fire: A general advance by the French supported by the British naval division, was resumed in the afterhoon, and gained considerable ground. The British were quiet, till Ive o'clock in the afternoon, when the infantry of the left centre progressed eseably, outstaring patches of scrub and occupying to-day. avines. At ten minutes past bix the British extreme left made an nveloping movement towards the hill behind Krithia, and met with tremendous shrapuel fire, whole companies disappearing in the

ill darkness checked the a ivance. The battle was resumed on May 8 with greater violence, the roops being determined to secure victory. Fighting developed into eroclous local combate for the ravines, trenches and hills. The whole line gradually programad, till it was possible to storm Krithia. There was a kull in the aft smoon until a quarter past five, when guns affinat and ashore opened a stupendous bimbardment, which Micera from France declared to be unprecedented. Fifteen inch yddite shells samed to consum, the hills with clouds of smoke and umes; and the whole country seemed afire covered by a solid bank of yellow, green and white smoke, from which volcances erupted as hells buret from the higher ridges. After a quarter of an hour the gun's simultaneously cassed, and then the infantry caped forward an assualt upon Krithia; the sun glittering on the payonets. The enemy who were realy for this, and poured out a torm of fire, but the New Zeslanders, Australians, British and French never hesitated. There was a succession of desperate bayonet charges and several trenches were taken, but darkness on Taesday inspecting the works on the Olyde. ended the combat with Aki Baba etill uncaptured.

# THE BRITISH CABINET

#### NOTHING SETTLED.

May 20, 11.15 a.m. Nothing is settled and anything may happen, sums up the ewspapers raview on the political situation. The Daily Telegraph says that Lord Fisher's resignation has

of been accepted. The Times says that nothing is likely to be decided till the nionist leaders have obtsined support at the next party meeting. The Daily Bapress states that Lord Milner may join the Minis-

Lord Darby, speaking at Wigan, said that nothing was farther nilivitation & contitor G overnment.

# TO-DAY'S WAR TELEGRAMS.

#### RACE MEETINGS TO BE CANCELLED.

May 20, 11.15 a.m. The Daily Chronicle says that as a result of a conference with the race meetings will be cancelled.

#### ITALIAN GOVERNMENT ASKS FULL POWER.

#### (Havas, Telegram.)

From Lisbon it is reported that M. Chagas was seriously spectators was that war with Italy was inevitable. wounded by a senator named Freitas who fired on him with a revolver. Freitas was killed by the Police.

In Rome the newspapers agrounce that the Chamber will be asked to grant the government full powers on Thursday.

#### [In the event of telegrams arriving too late for Insertion on this page they will be found on the Extra.]

#### TELEGRAMS. **EARLIER**

#### CABINET CRISIS.

#### PROBABLE CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

May 18, 8.30 p.m.

There are persistent reports in the Lobby that a coalition Government is about to be formed. Three Unionist leaders conferred with Mr. Asquith to-day.

The exact allocation of offices has not been determined, but it Lord Haldane, Earl Besuchamp, Lord Lucas, Mr. Harcourt and Mr. Birrell will retire.

It is understood that Lord Fisher has resigned, and that Mr. Churchill will leave the Admiralty, but will remain in the Cabinet,

May 19, 4.50 p.m. Lord Fisher had been absent from the Admiralty for two days He had a prolonged interview with Mr. Asquith on Saturday. Mr. Lloyd George has postponed his visit to the great manu-

facturing centres. A statement in Parliament, on the political situation, is expected

May 19, 5.40 p.m. No statement has been made in Parliament, but it is reported in the Lobby that the resignation of Lord Fisher has caused the

louis of earth and sand, but they never he site ed, and progressed The Pall Mall Gazette says that two masterful personalities clashed at the Admiralty and this culminated in differences concerning the Dardanelles.

The Pall Malle Gazette suggests that Mr. Churchill should be made Secretary of State for India, that Mr. Austen Chamberlain should become Secretary of State for the Colonies, and that Lord Crews should remain as Lord President of the Council.

#### KING ON THE CLYDE.

#### STRIKING MESSAGE TO WORKERS.

King George spent eight hours on Monday, and the same time

He reviewed troops in Glasgow, and visited the wounded in the

Bsplying to a resolution passed by the workers at Fairfield, the King telegraphed expressing his satisfaction as to their determination to deal with the Government work in the most efficient and rapid since Monday evening, and a thick mist, have prevented any fightmanner, adding that this strengthens the Nation's confidence in ling; even the cannonade has been feeble. ultimate victory.

#### SCENE IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

May 18, 11,15 p.m. when a silk-hatted stranger rushed scross the floor of the House He seized the mace and shouted inarticulately.

The attendants ejected him. named Charrington, the conductor of the suff-football agitation, loyal Britisher, to retire from all public positions." curing the war.

# TELEGRAMS.

#### AUSTRIA AND ITALY.

May 18, 9.50 p.m.

Reuler's correspondent at Amsterdam reports that Herr Mr. Asquith, the Jookey Club have decided that three fourths of Bethmann Hollweg, the Chancellor, in the Reichetag, said that in Austria's effort to ensure friendship she offered Italy the sovereignty of Valona and the Italian portions of the Tyrol on the western bank of Isonzo, while Trieste would fall as a city of Italian character. Austria declares political disinterestedness in Albania.

Finally, particularly in respect to the interests of Italian nationals in Austria, she grants an amnesty to political prisoners in the ceded territories.

The impression made by the speech on the majority of the

#### AMERICA AND THE BLOCKADE.

May 19, 5,40 p.m.

In Washington it was reported that President Wilson had great receptions on visiting the fleet. The spirit of patriotism was most evident. Many seized the

opportunity to inform the President that he should support the international situation.

President Wilson was plainly touched by the ovations of the his congratulations to Botha.

M. Dumba and Count Bernstorff, the Austro-German Ambassadors, are displaying the keenest diplomatic activity in endeavouring to avoid a supture.

"It is understood that the Ambassadors have telegraphed to their Governments urging the suspension of submarine attacks on passenger ships during diplomatic discussion.

Austria is particularly seeking a peaceful cettlement.

#### FRENCH COMMUNIQUES

#### A FRUITLESS GERMAN ATTACK.

May 18, 7.00 p.m.

A Paris communique states, "We took to-day, further prisoners. The Germans in Belgium attempted to attack in the Berry-au-Bac region but were easily repulsed."

#### SHALL WE USE GAS?

May 18, 6.50 p.m.

Lord Kitchener in the House of Lords announced that the British and French Governments felt that troops must be adequately protected against poisonous gases by the employment of similar methods, thus removing an enormous and unjustifiable disadvantage. If we did not take those steps, Lord Kitchener would have to call for three hundred thousand more recruits to form a new army. Lord Kitchener added he was most confident that in the very near fature they would be in a satisfactory position as regards the supply of ammunition. The news from Gallipoli, was thoroughly satis-

He emphasised the brilliant French successes at Arras. The Russians, he continued were now holding a strong line in West Galicia and had achieved a big counter-offensive in Bakhovins. The German losses were enormous and the Russians had taken many unwounded prisoners.

He paid a glowing tribute to General Botha's operations.

#### GREAT SLAUGHTER OF GERMANS.

May 18, 450 p.m.

A Paris communique reports that the Garmans in Belgium left on the battlefield 2000 dead and a great number of rifles. The French consolidated the positious recently taken:

The Germans last night attempted a most violent counter-attack after bombardment by guns and bombs, but were repulsed.

Two German counter-attacks in the region of Souchez were stopped dead by our fire. The French, by a night attack, have taken a group of houses

in the region of Ablain. Artillery action continues by day and night along the whole

front northward of Arras. The Germans are particularly devoting themselves to bombarding Arras.

#### WEATHER AFFECTS FIGHTING.

May 19, 12,50 .p.m. A Paris evening communique states that uninterrupted rain

## SIR EDGAR SPEYER'S HONOUR.

May 19, 5.00 p.m. Sir Edgar Speyer has resigned all his public positions, his There was a scene in the House of Commons in the evening, Privy Councillorship, and his baronetcy. Writing to Mr. Asquith he says, "I have hitherto treated with disdain auggestions of 9.15 p.m. treachery and disloyalty but since they are repeated by public men I cannot longer remain silent. I am not a man to be drummed into The invader in the House of Commons was identified as a man an attitude of justification, but I consider it due in honour, as a (Continued on page 5).

#### TELEGRAMS.

#### NEWS FOR BUSY MEN.

#### CONDENSED.

Austria is particularly seeking peaceful settlement.

Mr. Balfour is mentioned as

rirst Lord of the Admiralty. Regarding the British Cabinet

crisis there is nothing yet settled. There are persistent reports of a

coalition Government being about to be formed.

According to a Hussian communique the enemy has sustained a further loss of 10,000 men.

A correspondent at the Dardanelles sends a description of the fighting when the Allies resumed the offensive.

Sir Edgar Speyer has resigned all public positions, his Privy Councillorship and his Baronetcy. on a point of honour.

It is reported that Lord Fisher has resigned and Mr. Winston Churchill leaves the Admiralty, but the latter remains in the Cabinet.

His Majesty the King, has sent Australia has also sent congratulations to the leader of the

Union Forces. Remarkable evidence of ships being prevented from going to the rescue of the Lusitania by German submarines is contained

in telegrams from Boston. In to-day's issue will be found further subscription lists to the Boy Scout's and the Overseas Fund the latter being for the provision of the forces with an

aeroplane from Hongkong. A origin the Cabinet is causing some stir at Home. One paper says that two masterful personslities clashed at the Admiralty which culminated in differences concerning the Dardanelles.

Earl Kitchener has told the country in a speech in the House of Lords that if we do not resort to the use of gases like the enemy and set saide the present disadvantage he will want 300,000 moremen.

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#### NEWS.

The annual general report of the Star Ferry Company is published to day.

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already ours" says the Petrograd

communique, and with this important centre in their hands, the Russians have gained a complete mastery of the province of Bukhovina, of which it is the capital. The succes ive failures of the Austrians may he due in a measure to the fact that they are short of smmunition and stood,

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Russia's Big Win.

The Austro-German dream of

ousting the Russians from one of

Austria's richest provinces ap-

pears now to be further then ever

nom reslisation. There is no ques-

tion now that the Austrian situa-

tion is hopeless. "Czernowila is

while the special correspondent of the Nieu Freie Presse recently gave out the lugubrious information that the Austrian contractors had also supplied bad powder, bad food and bad boots, a statement which has been generally confirmed since by other cor-

Daily Press.

respondents as well as by results.

Re-drawing the Map of Europe The English will still have to meet them and work side by ride with them in many parts of the world, and it is unlikely that the idiosyncracies of such a nation can be moulded by a foreign band. Germany will-have to work out her own salvation along her own lines. Already before the var began, the power of the democracy was being felt, and in the course of another twenty or thirty years such a crisis as the present would perhaps have been impossible. It has been suggested that the House of Hohenzollern should be removed from supreme power, even as Napoleon was, but the cases are some a hat different, and such extreme action might result in defeating the very object the Allies bave in view. The creation of martyrs is slwsys a bad principle. It is doubtful whether democracy has reached sufficient strength in Germany to effect any revolution in the form of government: the deadening effect of militarism is yet too strong upon the people. But with the natural impoverishment of the country consequent on the war, and the necessity for retrenchment, it is to be hoped the power of militarism will be checked and time given for the people to awake from its influence. Time will do the rest.

China Mail.

#### The World Languages of the Future.

Certain of ultimate victory, for

France and England, a patriotic Frenchman auggests in the Paris Temps that after the war the two pations should do their ulmost to make their languages universal. Dividing the world in broad, sweeping strokes, he would make English the tongue of North America and the Pacific and Indian Ocean, while the Latin nations would be taught to speak French. This done, he would next oblige the English-speaking region to learn French and the French-speaking section to learn English. His scheme does not appear to tackle the interesting and piquent possibilities of trying to impose these languages upon Germany. Austria-Hungary, and Turkey. China, too, is apperently to be left in outer darkness. Incident tally, he intimates that in practise the English language should be the mediam of commerce in the main, while French should be preferred for diplomacy, the drawing room, and world-travel. Editorially speaking, the Temps admita that it is difficult to form a definite opinion of the practices abilities of the writer's project.
Yet it is worth considering, weare told, because the writer who proposes, it is a linguistic

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#### GENERAL NEWS.

The Peking Patriotic Fund.

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Consular Appolatments. The to owing official retifications concerning Contuar appointments in the Far Ea t are published in the London Gazette.-The King has been graciously pleased to appoint Harold Porter, E. q., to be Bis Majesty's Consul for the Consular

District of Wubn, to reside at Wuhu: Claud Cecil Augustus Kirke, Esq., to be, His Majerty's Consul for the Consular District of Wachow, to reside at Wachow; and Leslie Harry Rupert Barr, Esq., to be one of His Majesty's Vice-Consuls in Ch na.

Mr. Asquith's Seven Years

of Office.

...There was an in o mal celebration of the fact that April 9 was the seventh anniversary of Mr. Asquith's assumption him.

An American Admiral's Retirement.

naval policy.

Arrested. police have arrested a no-operation a room measuring 25 by presented, most of them local torions member of the "Black 30 by 25 feet. The platen, 9 feet Hand" gang named Clemente 6 inches long by 21 inches in what wer, to realise that the Pepe, who was wanted for murder. diameter, weighs 1,200 pounds, Pepe, who had just returned to and the carriage 3,500 jounds. Italy from New York under a Eich key-cup, which is the part o false name, had been tried in his a typewriter that is pressed by the absence and sentenced to impri- fingers, is 7 inches in diameter, Ecoment for life. The police while each type far is 52 inches found in his 100m a valice con-long and weight at much taining two American revolvers a standard typewr.ter. and two daggers, both of which mammoth typewriter has been bore b'oo itta na.

Censored Cables. Every business man will understand that the censorship of commercial telegrams is bound to lead-to-occasional de aye. But that is ro reason why cables which for tone cause or other are not transmitted alould be dropped est mation of cool o'sezvers the of Herr Dernburg and his keeping the searchlight well on at the present time. into the waste-raper basket with. publicat on of the American Note Estellites. To stop the export of your left, and stepping decorous. The President: It seems to me out a notification either to the and itereception herean lat home contraband to the Allies is at lyout of the path of any eniper's more than stop the war. They less excusable even is the ignor- Government to write fin's to the out, their prime object. All the passing. ance of some of the cable cen ore first and most troubled chapter energies of the German and Proceeding quietly but quick- and make it so that there will lest we forget: An ANTHO. of themo telementary commercial of the history of Anglo-American German-American apologists, ly along the line of least not be any more wars. terms. When a censor rolemnly trade relations during the war. from Professor Munsterberg and resistance, you are suddenly. The First Delegate: The British holds up a telegram to inquire The situation is felt to be as fol. Herr Ridder downwards, are con- confronted by a figure army can do that best-along the soldier's pocket comthe mesning of the phrase lows:-The American Govern- centrated upon it. emerging from the dark, who with the French; we will conit is time to ask that the most Great Brita'n to carry out "a long cans desire to end the war, they tu, Brute!" you murmur reproached. You can write and tell Mr. THE GERMANS IN BELGIUM: blatant ignorance should no distance blockade" on terms have so far been unable to fully, as jou halt and wonder E. D. Morel that. longer be a passro: to employ- which do not quite tally with the persuade public opinion to reject to yourself why it is that you have It was resolved that the letter ment as a censor. - Globe.

Anthem as sung at St. conditions is the basic principle Germans should turn their hands Folicitating him upon the ingen-Augustine's, Croyden, is, God of Anglo-Saxon law, and because, to new levers and try to form an uity with which one tortuous with their backs to you and Save our lord the King." The as a matter of policy, it is deemed alliance with Socialists, and even ditch is made to combine the uses vicar (the Rev. J. H. White) ex- inadvisable for the United States, anarchical agitators, whose in- of a roadway, a water-main, a plains that these were the which herself is a maritime nation, fluence with the foreign-born sewer, and a home, you original words until altered to enunciate new principles un non-Tentonic population has been him good-night and hand owing to the accession of Queen duly harassing to the operations of talefully proved in recent years. yourself over to the Captain. Wictoria. He regards the original a Maritime Power.

as-more virile, and therefore Except in Germanophil quarmuch bet'er, and adds:-" For ters, which describe the Note as point. But if current comment continuing to exist in spite of similar reasons we sing the a surrender to British high. goes for anything, she need yield the desire, apparently universal original second verse and not handedness, the Government's it only in theory and not in fact. to get rid of you, you remark that any; of the esseminate rubbish decision has got a good Press. The stage in fact seems, as far this is one of the most attractive and which was put forth at the time go have the broad-minded and as the United States is concerned, well-aired trenches in which you of the Jubilees and Coronations, friendly comments on the Note to to be set for a fuller Anglo-Ame- ever remember making a bit of when some of us fondly liked to which you and various of your con- rican understanding over the war. You then go along with him think that the nations had buried temporaries are reported to have various issues of the war than at to settle your men in, only to find him over a couple of bullets. the hatchet for good and all. If given expression. There remains, one time seemed possible, and that they have done this for themwe are doing our level best to however, one important thing to there will be much regret if Lon- selves, and are already giving confound somebody's Folitics, be cleared up. The American don fails to take the cue. This valuable advice to the occupants, tricks, we can't see any objection the British claim to the right —first, to the feeling that a solid ing should, and will in future, be to singing and praying shout it. arbitrarily to interfere with neu. Anglo-American understanding is conducted. But our National Anthem is not trait shipments to neutral ports, of the greatest importance at this down the trach to see the sights, TE you have lost your appetite great either from a poetic or because the shipments are suspect juncture; secondly, to the realisat you discover the men employed I ore of the big variety of musical point of view. We feel ed to be of eventual enemy destina- tion that the German propagand- in the constant and reprehen dainty dishes at the ALEXANglorious Bussian Anthem.

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One of the mot conspicuous of exhibits at the Panama Pacific New Phase of German Intrigue. office as Prime Minister. Mr. E. Exposition is a typewrit r of S. Montagu, the youngest and gigartic proportions, 1,728 times last-appointed member of the larger than a standard mashine, newspapers including such well-Cabinet, gave a dinner in his gays a writer in the Scientific known sympathisers with the chief's honour at his residence at American:—It is not merely a Allies as the New York Times Queen Anne's gate, to which a colosial image, but a working and the Philadelphia Ledger, number of personal friends of model that actually writes; and contain in the form of a page Mr. Asquith were invited to meet during the Exposition it will type advertisement a striking appeal news bulletins, on a sheet of paper for the stoppage of the export of 9 feet wide, in letters 3 inches munitions of war to belligerents. high and 2 inches apart. The The appeal is signed by some Washington, April 4. A great moneter machine will be 400 publishers and editors of commotion has been caused by operated by electrical connection newspapers and perthe resignation of Rear-Admiral tion with a typewriter of stand- iodicals appearing in the United Fiske, It is recalled that Admiral ard dimensions. For instance, on States. It calls upon the Fiske recently said some hard depressing a key of the small American people, and especially things before the Congressional machine the corresponding key of the workmen engaged in the Committee about the prepared the large machine will respond. manufacture of war supplies, ness of the Navy, and Republi- A lever is used for the return of to protest against the output of cane proclaim his resignation to the carriage and for line-spacing American powder, cannon, and be another proof of the ineptitude or rotating the cylinder. The big shrapnel destined to shatter the Democratic military and machine weighs 14 on as against bodies and blot out the lives of Member of "Black Hand" of a standard machine. It is the readers of their newspapers. 21 feet wide, in act on, by 15 One has only to scrutinies the Rome, April 17. The Naples feet high, and requires for its nationality of the newspapers relunder construction for about two years and to t \$100,000.

#### ANGLO-AMERICAN FRIENDSHIP.

"f.o.b." as has actually occurred, ment recognises the right of But, earnestly as real Ameri- tells you to halt or he'll fire. "Et sider it after the Kaiser is smashold conception of international Mr. Bryan's wise definition of suddenly become so unpopular, lie on the table till the close of the Croydon Vicar and the National law. It has done this real trade neutrality as outlined The figure says his name isn't war. because it, realises that the in his letter to Senator Stone. Brutus, but that he is come from The first line of the National adjustment of precedent to new Hence it is not unpatural that the the trench to guide you to it.

WAR MUNITIONS FROM AMERICA.

Washington, April 5. Many

30 rounds, which is the weight relatives of a large majority of

sheets of no intrinsic weight appeal is not the product of a spontaneous organisation. Italian newspapersare in a great majority. Then come Jewish and Yiddish. with Polish and Hungarian, a good third and fourth. Virtually, all the neutral countries and races | April 14. You then | are represented, but there are no take a sharp turn to the right. At a meeting of the Lancaster German or American signatures. until you observe the beam of a and District Trades and Labour

been roped in. unfair to assume that the when the searchlight has come to A Delegate: That's from the American public is confronted the conclusion that, wherever you "Stop the war" party. Let us with another example of the are, you are not worth bothering have it out with the Kaiser first. Washington, April 7. In the malign subterianean activities about, you get up and go on, I quite agree with it all, but not

Great Britain must yield that means finished with.

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the Captain and apologised for

THE U.D.C.

A few Jaranese, French, and searchlight playing scross the Council an appeal was made by oreatwar needs: Ills. London

sender of the addressee. Almost puts it in the rower of the British present, as I have before pointed bullet which happens to be want to have something to say on knupp's a THE INTERNATIONAL the terms on which it is stopped,

appear as men who are watching a dog-fight which has lot for them all its excitement but not all its interest. Every now and I then they keep off their rifles into the dim beyond, not in any real hope of hitting anything, but just to show there is ill-feeling, | On most nights there is a gentleman opposite who addresses our trench when he comes on duty,, "It is I Fritz, the Bunmaker of London. What is the football news?"-They-shout out the latest information and pass

this the more when we join in the tion. To svoid further controvers, lists while discredited, are by no sible habit of tea-drinking. The DRA CABE is sure to tempt sontries lean against the parapet you

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BIRTH.

BYRDE. - On April 19th at the Siang-Ya Hospital, Changsha, simple patrol-jacket - which at Fauling. to Archdeacon and Mrs. Louis Byrde, a daughter (Beryl Constance.) aristocratio Honglong takeos-

WATSON.-Miss Watson of the Wesleyan Methodist Mission, Changsha, on Friday May, 7th.

# The Hongkong Telegraph

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, MAY 20, 1915.

#### "LOVE YOUR ENEMIES"

From the Home papers we notice that the ill-judged remarks The other item of importance—stole two clocks valued at \$10 and for humane methods and for reby the Headmaster of Eton on our duty towards our enemies are ttill household servants—was no part- clothing valued \$3 50. very much under discussion. Canon Lyttelton is a sportsman and icularly expensive matter. Wages a scholar, and the only thing that people have against him is that he may have been a little more or a . The police have received a rough with an exe or a half-brick, has made a public exhibition of himself by his sermon on Britain's little less than here (more, rather report from the Kwong San Lung he is going to save, his own life attitude towards Germany. There are but two possible explanations than less, after the rubber boom); engineering shop, Mong-kok, to by the readiest and most of the sermon at St. Margaret's Westminster. One is that the and the only difficulty in the the effect that some person has effective means that lie to hand; Colony do not see sufficient inprescher, feeling that his cloth committed him to certain stereotyped matter was that servants had to stolen from the Sam Yick coul for if he should decide to confine views on the subject of peace, treated his audience to these, regard- be imported from Hainan and yard, two boxes containing ham- himself to scientific boxing, the less of their (or his own) private convictions in the matter; the other, from South Ohina because the mers, chisele and a ballows valued obsaces are that he will be dead or that, Canon Lyttelica is seriously deficient in logic. We would Malays and the Straits-born at \$120. rather accept the letter explanation; would rather believe that he is Chinese, as a whole, disliked League Tennis. an intensely conscientious man with a strong vein of centiment in domestic work. But it is on this "The following will represent for fighting with the rough's own Hongkong, May 20. 1916. him, who has read his Bible a trifle too literally for once.

to expulsion for an offence which, in public opinion, did not merit forcibly. "Servants have screwed kong Oricket Club this Saturday obliged, too, to see significance Buch severe punishment. Had the boy's parents reminded him of wages up to a point undreamed of on the ground of the latter club. in the alternative which Earl the Gospel precepts as to forgiveness, he would doubtless have said: a few years ago," it is stated, Messrs. P. Roza and J. Lopes, A. Kitchener offers, and to accept "I forgive him, but I owe a duty to the school, which I must carry and the blame is laid "to the Lopes and F. Remedios, V. forthwith his hint that the n nout." Again, if to-me row some youthful scant o'grace who has supineness and laiser fairs of Yvarovich and M. Pinna, reserve adoption of the use of gas will been told that he is to be nogged for the good of his soul should tell the victims." That the fault lies E. J. Marques.

the Head that it is his duty to love his enemies, Dr. Lyttelton will with the residents themselves we say (as thousands of schoolmasters have said before him). "I am going to punish you for your own good; not because I have any even in its most "maskee" spirit, Government for the erection of a thousands.

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High School Plans Invited.

Plans are invited by the Macao thousands, if not of hundreds of the former's ground on Saturday even in its most "maskee" spirit, Government for the erection of a thousands. grudge against you." The boy who was expelled, and the other who cannot come near Singapore for High School. The plane, which was caned or birched, may be excussed if they arrive at the conclusion letting things slide. What is have to be sent in before July 15 that the Doctor's expression of duty and love hurts just as much as wanted, both there and in our own 1915 together with specifications,

if he had labelled it virulent enmity. Had the sermon taken the form of a warning against our allow. Government; so much for being given to the best and \$500 who (like Sir John French) can ing primitive passions to get the better of us, it might have schieved coolies, so much for house-boys to the second, while certificates never be said to error tie side, of a good end. But it went farther than that; indeed it asked people etc. It is only to be expected that of honourable ment on will also over-sauguineness, is satisfied with to cease to be human, and to fly in the face of justice as well. Chinese employees, like any other, be anarded. Further particulars the general position. Though to cease to be human, and to fly in the face of justice as well. Ohinese employees like anyother, be avaided. Further particulars the general position. Though Last evening in the penultitude of Britain towards the Germans is not a personal one; will tyrannise where they are will be found in our advertise, we still hear nothing further from Last evening in the penultitude. Harry Relphis though, if it were, she would have ample excuse to offer. It is that of allowed to do so; and the opport. ment columns. the guardian and upholder of the laws towards the unity should be removed by those man who has broken them. And, when the war is over, who have the power. she will have a duty to perform towards society, just as Dr. Lyttelton or his assistant masters have a duty to perform towards Eton when any one of them canes a boy. But cases arise in a school wherein that daty is not entirely completed when the cul prit has been thrashed; wherein the boys themselves feel called upon to express their sense of the offender's guilt, either by making him "run the gauntlet" or else by boycotting him-sending him to Coventry. Similarly, the British. Lublic has its duty to perform towards a pation whose soldiers and sailors have the British residents for signature, 1915.

brought such indelible shame upon it. When the requesting the British Minister Cyclone or Typhoon S. E. of the peace with Italy, and with this morning, Assistant, Junk Chapman, Lieut, Taylor, Corporal to the peace with Italy, and with this morning, Assistant, Junk Chapman, Lieut, Taylor, Corporal to the peace with Italy, and with this morning, Assistant, Junk Chapman, Lieut, Taylor, Corporal to the peace with Italy, and with this morning, Assistant, Junk Chapman, Lieut, Taylor, Corporal to the peace with Italy, and with this morning, Assistant, Junk Chapman, Lieut, Taylor, Corporal to the peace with Italy, and with this morning, Assistant, Junk Chapman, Lieut, Taylor, Corporal to the peace with Italy, and with this morning, Assistant, Junk Chapman, Lieut, Taylor, Corporal to the peace with Italy, and with this morning, Assistant, Junk Chapman, Lieut, Taylor, Corporal to the peace with Italy, and with this morning, Assistant, Junk Chapman, Lieut, Taylor, Corporal to the peace with Italy, and with this morning, Assistant, Junk Chapman, Lieut, Taylor, Corporal to the peace with Italy, and with this morning, Assistant, Junk Chapman, Lieut, Taylor, Corporal to the peace with Italy, and with with It Government has had its easy and, in collaboration with France, at Peking to instruct the Consul Meiscosima, Direction unknown. America; but the enemy's con- Inspector C. Mathias, Harbour McGregor, Gunnera Potau, Smart, Marketing to instruct the Consul Meiscosima, Direction unknown. Russis and Belgium, has decided what price Germany shall pay for General here, to have the Ger The telegram quoted below was duct has taught us to regard this Department, charged Chan Tso, Bursord, and Levesey Hand and the Cer. her knavery, it will still be incumbent on the general public to show

attitude is one of punishment?

Yet Another Light Sentence.

We regret to have again to draw attention to a light sentence on a man of a dangerous class. Yesterday a Ohinese was charged at the SEE THEM, AND GO ONE BETTER. Magistracy with being in possession of pepper, wire and stripped bamboo-materials which he was certainly not harbouring for any purpose likely to benefit society. We pass over the fact that he made the usual excuse: he was minding them for someone else. Butwo are justified in asking why howas roteither discharged or else proved that he was keeping these will be 35 published. things for a criminal purpose. If there was no proof forthcoming Siberian Mail.-Ulosed per s.s. that he was a suspicious character we do not understand why he | English Mail.-Closed per s.s. was not discharged. If, on the Nubis to day at Il a.m. other hand, the police had evid- Siberian Mail. Closed per H.B. ence to offer against him, why Ying Chow to-day at 3 p.m. was he not treated as this most dangerous class of criminal deserves? The materials found in Closing prices: his keeping were such as only those who meditate theft-if need be with violence—are likely to own. If as has since been stated. that that ordinance went into the waste-paper basket and was supplanted by something same and

The Cost of Living.

uteful.

One of the Straits papers makes a very forcible complaint of the increased cost of living in Singapore and Penang. Up till three or four years ago Singapore was certainly a cheaper place in which to live than Hongkong, and we were under the impression that this was still the case. There was no comparison between the two rates of house-rent; at the Straits one could get a fair-sized bungalow, with ground attached, for the same amount as would be paid for the half of a very tiny house in Kowloon. Olothing been taken to the hospital. for men is also a fairly serious item in Hongkong, for both ing throughout the year, and the the Royal Hongkong Golf Club is worn by all classes of men, in the South than here, nor can period, to 74,036 tons. one get anything like the amount that is possible in Hongkong.

Colony, is a rate of wage fixed by will compete for prizes, \$1,000 speech it would appear that he,

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mans removed from the Shameen, received from the Macila Obser- as mere dust-throwing. Germany master of a cargo boot, with un- Trumpeter Knight. its abhorrence of the enemy soonduct; and this will best be manifested The petition is the outcome of a valory of 6.80 p.m. May 10, 1915; if lot likely to care cow how many lawfully failing to renew the The menagement is to be controlled by a permanent boydott. As to forgiveness —does it really matter meeting of the Municipal Council Cyclone or Typhoon 8, E. anyersaries she has to face—and licence of his bost, in the harbour, gratuinted on a good all mounts and licence of his bost, in the harbour, gratuinted on a good all mounts and licence of his bost, in the harbour, gratuinted on a good all mounts and licence of his bost, in the harbour, gratuinted on a good all mounts and licence of his bost, in the harbour, gratuinted on a good all mounts and licence of his bost, in the harbour, gratuinted on a good all mounts and licence of his bost, in the harbour, gratuinted on a good all mounts and licence of his bost, in the harbour, gratuinted on a good all mounts and licence of his bost, in the harbour, gratuinted on a good all mounts and licence of his bost, in the harbour, gratuinted on a good all mounts and licence of his bost, in the harbour, gratuinted on a good all mounts and licence of his bost, in the harbour, gratuinted on a good and a good a good

#### DAY BY DAY.

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The Weather. Lower level 8 s.m. Temp. 80 At the Peak 8 s.m. Temp. 7

Count the Columns. Yesterday

The Malls. Oriental to-day at 10 s.m.

Up to the Minute-Share

Market News. Douglages. - \$474. buyers.

Kailans.—33/6, sellers, ex div. buyers.

Kung Yiks. \$141, sellers. Shanghai Cottons. - Tls. 993, buyers in. Shanghai.

Laous 891. eales.

The Dollar.

The rate of the dollar on demand to-day is 19 9.13/16d.

To-day's Anniversary. Boy Drowned,

Whilst bathing in a roud at ever have been in power at all. the junction of Nathan Road and Jordan Roads, Yaumati, a Chinese boy was drowned.

Taken to the Hospital. The tody of a Chinese female child, which fell from a boat into the Harbour at Shaukiwan, has Golf Competition.

summer and winter outfits are in our advertisement columns of required; whereas, in Singapore, a golf competition to be held on one wears the same type of cloth- Whit Monday in connection with troops could be avoided

Kailan Mining. Boy's Loss.

Tools Stolen.

#### TYPHOON WARNING.

can Coneulate General, Hongkong Russian successes continue, aut Sm. th in the final. for the following Typhom Warn- Austria is paying dearly for that Canton, May 10. was received from the Manila hear rothing. The Germans and To-day a petition was sent to Observatory at 4 p.m. May 19, Austrians are represented as mak
To-day a petition was sent to Observatory at 4 p.m. May 19, Austrians are represented as mak
Before Commander C. W. Beck- ing sketch, Motoring, in which we still HARBOUR OFFENCES.

A notable feature of the even
ing a contraction of the co

what form we employ, whether forgiveness or the reverse, if our held last night.

of Naha, moving N. E. for the most severse of the reverse, if our held last night.

attitude is one of punishment?

### NOTES ON THE CRISIS.

EARL KITCHENER'S SPEECH

The Ministry and the War.

the Cabinet will cause compara- minds of many of us, and in-Telegraph | tively little surprise to those who | crease in the cost of living attracte published 37 columns of solid have been endeavouring to read more than usual attention, conse-in the light of history-which which has increased its charges proverbially repeats itself. About to the extent of some ten per cent, every Liberal Government that has probably been looked forward the country has ever known there to, and since its publication been has been, at one time or another, a subjected to it o e careful scrutiny touch of experimentalism; and than would have been the case in h this is a luxury that our ot be an ordinary year. afforded in time of war. At such a . It may possibly therefore be time; common sense demands that voicing the thoughts of miny there shall be as little theory as readers of the report of the Pesk poss ble in the general atmo- Tramway Co., if the following sphere; and this the country re- points are brought forward: cognised when, at the outbreak Under the profit and loss account, Indos. - \$99, sales and sellers. of war, it asked Earl Kitchener it might be interesting to the Star Ferries. - \$39, sellers a Conservative and a soldier-to users of the tramway as to the take a big hand in controlling shareholders if more details were Mesars. Lowe Bingham Hongkong Cottons. - \$71, public affairs, albeit a Radical forthcoming in the third item Ministry was in power. One viz. to charges \$4,11660. N. C. wan's to say as little as 10 wible Whilst still more per inent quesabout old guevances, but a tions might be asked as to the Mr. T. Arnott thought which still rankles in item, to office rent and clerks' the British mind is that the exist | Salary, \$6,000.00. Granted a Kowloon Wharves. - \$72, ing Ministry is drawn from a meng certain number of clerks are rethe class of politicians" that quired it suggests that consider-Hongkong Docke \$61, buyers, avowedly opposed the increase able saving might be made in of armaments: There would ap- offices which few probably of pear to be, then, ample excuse for those who use the tramway have asking (to quets two typical ever entered. The rent seems to cases) Lord Haldsne and Mr. indicate that they are either ex-Augustine Birrell to make way travagunt or palatial, though the Hongkong, 19th May, 1915. To-day is the 109th anniversary for men of harder grain. The latter possibility is somewhat of the birth of John Stuart Mill: really regrettable part of the negatived by the statement that business is that such men should office funiture is valued at \$500.

#### Barl Kitchener and the Poisonous Gases.

No less interest attaches to Earl Kitchener's speech in the Lorde, with special reference to the quest on of reprisals where the use of gas by the enemy is Particulars are being published concerned. While all of us will heartily wish that such a course as director board with the engineer the adoption of gas by our own the position is very much that of a choice between evils. We do not, on the one We are informed that the total hand, want to descend to German affect the number of persons usthat shirts, collars and output of the Administration's methods; but, on the cther, coming the tramway the increase on ties are only needed for more mines for the week ending 8th mon consideration for the lives of traffic receipts by the new rites dressy occasions. Foodstuffs May 1915 amounted to 68,868 British troops demands that the would probably be a little dearer tone and the sales during the Government should not calmly is a fearful advantage [as that perhaps to ask if the abolition of of variety in diet for one's money A report has been made to the given by the following of police by a boy employed as a "Scientific" methods. Practically possible \$4,000 on office rent servant to the Rev. Fr. Spada, at | the situation is this; if the most Kowloon, to the effect that some law-abiding of citizens, who is, at person entered his quarters and the came time, an ardent stickler ligious observance of the Queens. bury rules, is attacked by a street disabled before he can get in a single blow. He regrets the need who has read his Bible a trifle too literally for once.

It is not so long ago that this very headmaster sentenced a boy contemporary expresses itself to League Match against the Hong- is there open to him? We are

The Position at the Moment.

#### CORRESPONDENCE.

[The opinions expressed by the correspondents are not necessarily those of the Hongkons Telegraph."]

(To the Editor of the Hongkon Telegraph).

Sir,—At a time like the present The news that there is die- when adjustments in various lines agreement among the members of of business must be exercising the

ed, or an additional room at the is approximately \$25,000. lower station be built to serve

the purpose. The next it im remuneration to directors is no doubt earned, but the same work by remuneration to general managers at 5 per cent. on gross earnings, cannot the staff do this work with equal efficiency and to the saving of

84713.41.7 It being supposed that the increase of 10 per cent. will not managers ind a reduction of a would not have met the deficit

and still have paid the shareholders the same dividend. It may be asked why the writer of this does not bring forward his questions publicly at the meeting | Previously acknowto be held on Tuesday next, but the criticisms offered perhaps show why many people in the ducement to invest money under existing circumstances and why your correspondent therefore signs himself. A NON SHAREHOLDER.

#### HONGKONG TENNIS LEAGUE.

The following will represent 5 p.m. N. E. Kent, C. J. Hewitt, L. N. Murphy, A. R. Linton, R. From the rest of the War Lord's F. Hell, M. M. Mass.

#### H.K.C.C. TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

the neighbourhood of the Darmate mate stage of the Professional contributions were his illuminated dansles, Earl Kitchener speaks Pair, Messre H. and R. Hancook ed club-swinging and a fine reof the news from Gallipoli as defeated Messre Nesbit and Philocation. Professor Gonzalez, to thoroughly satisfactory?'; and lips, the scores being 6-3,4-6. Mr. George Grimble's sccompanithis should stone for Renter's 6-2. The winn ra will meet ment, played a violin to'o in his We are indebted to the Ameri- silence on the subject. The Messrs. Faichnie and Hattersley usual good style and Mr. Millar

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Hongkong, 19th May, 1915. n. j. stább. 🧎 Hon. Treasurer.

#### VICTORIA THEATRE.

Last Night's Patriotic Concert.

Another very successful patriotic concert, was given last night at the Victoria Phestre to a crowded house, which included a large number of Sprvice men of all ranks. The Band of the 74th Panjabis, under Bandmaster Obristian, played some aplendid selections, and one of the bandsmen. Alish Dah, gave a most excellent piccola solo:

Miss May Clarke sang Vour King and Country need you. yery dramatically, and received an encore. The Carsons gave their popular sharpshooting. dancer

# WAR TELEGRAMS.

(Continued from Page 1.)

## RUSSIAN COMMUNIQUE.

ENEMY'S HEAVY LOSSES.

May 19, 45 a.m. A Petrograd official report states that between Opatoff on the left of the Vistula and the whole of the Galician front to Kolomes, great masses of the enemy on the 18th, attacked our position, making the region north and south of Przemysl the centre of their efforts. We repulsed furious attacks on the left of the Vistula, and counter-attacking captured 3,000 prisoners and several guns.

The enemy near Jaroslav, despite extraordinary losses are endeavouring to establish themselves on the right bank of the San, and are boarding the western forts of Przemyel.

Between Przemysł and the Great Dniester marshes, masses of the enemy were repeatedly slaughtered on the wire entanglements, but succeeded in capturing trenches and two battalions.

The losses of the enemy in this region are estimated at 10,000.

#### THE LUSITANIA APPOCITY.

" May 19, 1.50 p.m.

message from Boston states that the steamer Etonia, from Liverpool has arrived, and reports that the Etonia and other steamers were attacked by two submarines when they tried to go to the assistance of the Lusitania after receiving the latter's call for help. May 19. 4.40 p.m.

The Etonia picked up the Lusitania's call 40 miles from Kinsale. Steaming thither she was twice pursued by submarines, but escaped owing to her superior speed and zigzigging course.

The steamers City of Exeter and Narraganeett had similar experiences. A torpedo missed the latter by eight feet.

# KING'S CONGRATULATIONS FOR BOTHA.

May 19, 4.45 p.m.

His Majesty has wired his congratulations to General Boths on

the success of the Union Forces at Windhoek. The Prime Minister of the Commonwealth of Australia, Mr. Andrew Fisher has cabled to General Boths, "Australia congratulates the Union Forces on their entry into the enemy capital." of Association Hon. Mr. David Heuter's correspondent at Pretoria states that Colonel Mentz, Landale retires but offers himself

operating east of Windhoek captured 140 prisoners and 25 wagons for re-election. of provisions.

## THE ADMIRALTY'S FEARS FOR THE A.E. 2.

May 19, 2.40 p.m.

The Admiralty presumes that the Turkish report of the sink- by Mr. C. Bernard Brown, A.C.A. ing of the AE2 in the Sea of Marmora is true. Three officers and Mr. F. Maitland offers himself for over the 18 hole course on WHIT seventeen men were captured out of three officers and twenty-nine re-election. men abcard.

#### ITALY AND THE WAR.

May 19, 4,40 a.m. Reuter's correspondent at Rome reports that there are war

demonstrations throughout Italy. Men are recalled to the colours, and the departing troops are everywhere acclaimed.

#### Q'ELEGRAMS.

## PORTUGUESE SITUATION.

(Reuter's Service To The " Telegraph.") London. Received May 19.

Renter's correspondent at Lis- Successes by Hongkong Chinese bon states that all is quiet and that a new cabinet has been formed. The wounded Premier's condition is satisfactory.

#### THE BOY SCOUT MOVEMENT.

New Magazine Started.

numbers of a new magazine. The list given below, the results are Boy Scout, printed and published eminently satisfactory:in Shanghai. These were sent to us by G. Meadows, 12, Austin Avenue, Kowloon, agent for Hongkong. We have also received, in connection with the above, a copy of a letter that has been addressed to Scout Masters. The following is the letter:

Dear Sir.—The need of a closer union between the various troops of Boy Scouts in the Far East having been felt, this magazine has been founded in Shanghai-(needless to say by the Boy Scouts themselves)-to serve this purpóse as far as possible. It also has for its object the promotion of public interest in the Boy Scout | 8000nd. movement and in other boys' organisations.

At present it is the intention to publish the magazine monthly, but if the venture proves sufficiently satisfactory, a weekly publication may be considered advisable.

The first number was out in April, and though not intended to be what the magazine is hoped kong. eventually to become it will no doubt serve the purpose.

Subscriptions, advertisements and matter intended for publication should be sent to. G. MEADOWS.

Hongkong agent, The Boy Scout in China," tern Olympiad.

#### THE FAR EASTERN OLYMPIAD.

morning by the Local Secretary By value of boats, as of the Y.M.U.A. from Mr. J. H Crocker, Slanghai, the Hon. Secretary of the Far. Eastern Olympiad, rero ting upon the achievements of several compet tors from Hongkong and Canton, We have received the first two and as will be seen form the

> Championship of the Olympia i -Won by China.

Fcotball-undecided.

Volley-Ball-Won by

Yards - Rolney

wards:-Rodney Lee, first: Harry To directors and andi-Lam. third.

Yards - Rodney Lee, To balance ...

Plunge-Rodney Lee, first; Ho Wai Hing, second. 220 Yards—Rodney Lee, first; secount

Rodney Lee, first; Ho Wai Hing, By interest

One mile-Rodney Lee, second By unclaimed Wong Pan, third.

A cablegram was received this

from Hengkong and Cintor. ... Cycling - A. E Moyhing. second; George Lee: third. Swimming: -50 Yards: -Clo

Man Ping, third.

100 Yards Swimming, back- To accident found ....

Choi Man Ping, second. 220 Yards Breast stroke boats ...

Relay Race-Won by Honz-

All the competitors named above are members of the Hong- To balance forward 9,115.05 kong Chinese Y.M.C.A., and the Association is to be congratulated upon naving been able to send By profit and loss such capable athletes to represent Hongkong in the Far Ess-

#### COMPANY REPORT.

The Star Ferry Co., Limited.

The following is the report for presentation to shareholders at the seventeenth ordinary annual meeting to be held at the offices of Mesars. Jardine, Matheson and Co., Ltd., at 12 30 p.m. on Thursday, May 27, 1915.

The directors have the pleasure to aubmit to shareholders their report. with a statement of accounts, for the year ending 30th April, 1915...

Accounts,

The net earnings of the boats, after paying all working expenses, amount to \$74,736.78 as against \$89,066.32 the previous year.

The amount at credit of profit and loss account, (after paying for regains, allo wing for directors' and auditors' fees and placing DAVID LANDALE 84.500.00 to credit of accident C.P. OHATER, including - 36,056.79 biolight forward, is \$81,174.60 which with the approval of sharebolders, it is proposed to appro priate as follows.

To pay a dividend of \$1.50 pershare from working profits ... \$60.000.0 To pay a bonus of 40 cents pershare from

interest account ... To carry forward

Directors.

In accordance with the articles

The accounts have been parily audited by Mr. F. Maitland and partly (in Mr. Maitland's absence)

DAVID LANDALE

Chairman. Hongkong, May 14, 1915. Ralanco Sheet, April 30, 1915.

To capital, as per last account 40,000 shares. at \$10 each fully paid up ....

To accident fund To anclaimed dividends To account a payable To balance of profit and loss ...

\$497,309.19 train. By value of Ice House

street pier, as per less written off for 

per last account ... \$92,301.00 Competition. By less written off for 1913/14. ... 2,301,00

90,000 00

By account receivable Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation ... By Hongkong and

Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co. Ld. By amount invested

Profit and Loss Account. For year ended April 30, 1915.

To crdinary repairs tur's fees ....

\$98,811.94 that are passed. By talance from last. By net earnings

By Borip fees dends forfeited .... Accident Fund.

By balance from last account ...

# DAIRY FARM NEWS.

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DAVID LANDALE. Directors, W. S. BROWN,

Secretary. I certify that I have obtained all the information and explana- CONSULAR NOTIFICATION tions I have required, and in my opinion, the balance sheet referred to in the report is properly drawn up, so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Company's affairs to the best of my information and the explanstions given to me and as shown by the books and securi-\$81,174.60 ties of the Company. C. BERNARD BROWN, A.C.A.,

Auditor. Hongkong, 14th May 1915.

#### TU-DAY'S advertisements.

ROYAL HONGKONG GOLF CLUB.

FANLING. 9 hole knock out Competition under Handicap will be held

CONDITIONS. Partners to be drawn. The player who leads at the 9th hole will play the winner of the couple following over the suc-

ceeding 9 holes and so on. In the event of a tie at the 9th hole a short hole will be played to 400,000.00 decide the winner; a tie at the 18th hole will be decided by playing the first hole and continuing

6,960.55 Entries limit Entries limited to 64 which will necessitate the winner playing 81,174.60 three full rounds. Competitors must therefore go out by the 8.45

Entrance fee \$1.00. Entries to be sent IN WRIT ING to the Acting Hon. Seclast account ..... \$113,418.12 retary care of BRADLEY & Co., Ltd. 4, Queen's Buildings, on or

6,418 12 before FRIDAY, the 2 st. A 9 hole Medal Competition will be held over the RELIEF COURSE in the afternoon for those knocked out in the above

> Entrance fee \$1.00. Optional Pool \$1.00. T. W. HILL.

> > Acting Hon. Secretary

3,006,22 Hongkong, 18th May, 1915.

NOTICE. 2,302,97 PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT OF MACAO.

By instructions from Government of the Province of 50,000,00 Macao, it is hereby announced that architects and builders, MONDAY, the 24th May. on morigage ... ... 245,000,00 residing in the South of China. may forward to the undersigned the plans and specifications for the construction of a High Hongkong, 20th May, 1915. School Building in this Province, provided they are received not later than the 16th July, 1915, to MARINE INSURANCE ASSOthe sender of the best plans and CIATION OF HONGKONG. specifications the sum of One and alterations ... \$11,937.34 thousand dollars (1,000.00) will be

4,500.00 given; and Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) to the second best. Certificates of honourable men- OFFICES will be closed for the ... 81,174.60 tion will be given to the senders transaction of Public Business on of the plans and specifications MONDAY, the 24th May.

The conditions and further par-6.056.79 ticulars may be obtained at the Public Works Department, Hongkong, 20th May, 1915. 74,736.78 Macao, and also at the Con-17,875.37 sulates for Portugal at Hong-kong, Canton, Shanghai, Manila, Singapore and Saigon. For the Director of Public Works, MIGUIL M. WAGER

RUSSELL 8 98,811.94 | Macao, 17th May, 1915.

LOR SALE.—One 25 ft, Motor 4.615.05 boat, 5/6 H.P. speed about month. 6 miles per hour, burns Kerosene. 4.500.00 Complete with riding lights, &co. Apply to "MOTOR-BOAT." care \$9,115.05 of The Hongkong Telegraph.

#### TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

BRITISH

British subjects residing in the Consular District of Canton are hereby notified that all British passports issued prior to the 5th August, 1914, and held by British subjects in China will become invalid on the 1st August next.

Holders of such passports in this Consular District are required to apply to the undersigned for fresh passports on the official form of application which can be obtained at the Consulate-

The new form of passport requires the insertion of a description of the holder. His photograph and signature must also be affixed thereto, and a duplicate copy of the photograph should be provided for retention

at the Consulate-General. Only the wife and children under the age of 16 may be included on the holder's passport and in such cases the particulars. photograph (in duplicate) and specimen signature of wife, and names, ages and sex of children, are required to be inserted. All other persons must obtain separate

The fee chargeable for a passport will be five shillings. The new form of passport will |be valid for two years only, but may be renewed for four further

periods of two years each. Passports which have been issued since the 5th August, 1914, will be regarded as valid for two years only from the date of their

H. B. M. Consulate-General. (Signed) CECIL KIRKE. Acting Consul-General. Canton, 18th May, 1915.

BANK HOLIDAY. accordance with Ordinance No. 5 of 1912 the EX-CHANGE BANKS will be closed for the transaction of Public Business on MONDAY. the 24th instant.

Hongkong, 19th May, 1915.

FIRE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-TION OF HONGKONG. WHIT MONDAY HOLIDAY. NOTICE is hereby given that all FIRE INSURANCE OFFICES will be closed for the transaction of Public Business on

By Order, A.R. LOWE: Secretary.

WHIT MONDAY HOLIDAY NIOTICE is hereby given that all MARINE INSURANCE

A.R. LOWE, · Secretary.

By kind permission of Lieut. Col. Chapman, V.D. the Volunteer Drill Hall is now open for practice of jiu-jitsu on Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays from 5.30 to 7.30. Reduced class fees \$5.00 per

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The Company's Steamship TAISHAN
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N.B.—The Company will also run a steamer from Macao on Sunday at 7.30
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Brisbane CALCUTTA Penang > Kawachi Maru & Rangoon ..... Capt. Kurozumi T. 12,500 [29th May. BOMBAY via Singa-) Kanagawa Maru pore, Malacca and Capt. Higo Colombo. SHANGHAI, Kobel Sanuki Maru

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Mr. T. Hinde, chief officer.

Mr. G. Hayward has been

appointed second officer, Kungp-

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pointed third officer, Kingwah. Mr. D. Ferguson has been appointed master, Senagambia. Mr. J. A. L. Taylor has been ppointed chief officer, Senegam-

Mr. J. W. Grier has been appointed fourth officer, Senegambia. . Mr. W. T. Poustie has been appointed second officer, Sensgambia. - Shipping and Engineer-

The percentage of ocean steamers entered at Wuhn under the British flag during the quarter ended December 1914 was 94.2 while the Japanese was only 5.8. The total number and tonnage entered during the quarter was 25 ships of 29,856 tons, a decrease of 13 ships and 16,804 tons from the same quarter of the year. ROUND THE WORLD Tickets issued in Connection with all the Principal Mail lines and the Trans-Siberian Railway.

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Pacific Mail Not To Quit? The Honolulu Star Bulletin of April 17. had the following trenchant remarks upon the Pacific Mail situation: The Pacific Mail liners Man-

churia, Mongolia, Siberia, Korea and China, will not be permitted to remain idle or rust: when the THE EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN seamen's bill, recently passed by congress, goes into effect next November. This was the definite prediction made in coast steamship circles before the liner Persia left San Francisco, for Honolulu. Officers on the Persia to-day do not attach any seriousness to the oft-repeated report that the Pacific Mail is soon doomed to ge out of business. Upon the arrival of the Persia at Pier 7 early this morning they laughed at the rumour and expressed an opinion that there would soon be found a 28th May at 10 a.m. way to keep the steamers in an

uninterrupted service. The Persia is the last yessel. listed on the 1915 schedule to return to the home port at San Francisco. This steamer will be lighted throughout with Electricity: All State-Rooms have Electric on its way to the Orient when the provisions of the law go into effect. It is due to return to San Francisco in early January.

It is admitted that the vessels may be held at Saa F. ancisco for some weeks pending the arrangement of details for a final solution. of the problem.

"There are not 2,000 able seamenavailable on the Pacific or the Atlantic coast, was a statement made on board the Persia. It will take more than that number to fill berths in six Pacific Mail liners made vacant by the operademand is made for men and it can not be filled something is going to happen."

Law Appointments. The King has been pleased to approve the appointment of Mr. Justice Warrington to be a Lord Justice of Appeal in succession to the Right? Hon. Sir Henry Buckley, who has a resigned. The King has been pleased to confer a barony of the United Kingdom upon Sir Henry Buckley.

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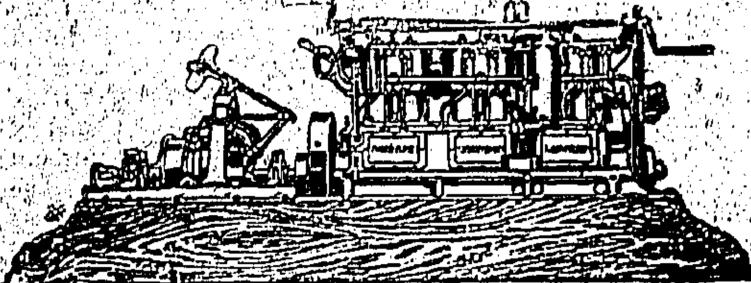
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EARL KITCHENER'S TRIBUTE TO THE INDIANS.

-- May 20, 1.60 p.m. In the House of Lords, Earl Kitchener said that the Indians had shown their value and bravery by putting the Turks to rout in Mesopotamia. Our progress in the Dardanelles was necessarily slow as it was a most difficult country, but the Tarks, who were constantly reinforced, were being gradually driven back from positions of great strength.

TRIAL OF A GERMAN SPY.

May 20, 1.00 p.m.

VOLUNTEER RESERVE

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to-day by Major Wakeman Com-

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fall in at Marray Pier at 6.30 p.m.

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ORDERS.

The trial has opened at the old Bailey, of a German named Kuepferle, who stands indicted on eight charges, of communicating naval and military information to the enemy.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

May 20, 1.00 p.m. A feature of the Stock Exchange is the renewed demand for recent flotations consequent on reported restrictions on further

East Indian Railway Stock, fully paid, rose to 988.

# RUSSIAN COMMUNIQUES.

May 20, 1,00 p.m.

According to Reuter's correspondent at Petrograd it is officially reported in a communique that a French and British offensive, assisted by Russians, has achieved success at Shavli; inflicting most severe losses.

#### VOLUNTEER ORDERS.

Corps Orders issued to-day by Lieut. Col. A. Chapman V.

state:---Smoking Concert, 22, 5, 15:-The only entrance to the Hall and Parade ground will be from Lower Albert Road. Members of the Corps attending the concert will wear Khaki drill (jackets and and not 6 40 p.m. as at sted in order

trousers). Weekly Reports: - The weekly No. 38 of May 19th referring to state is required at the Orderly the Volunteer Headquarters guard Room not later than 5 p.m. to- is hereby cancelled.

morrow. 21st instant: Promotions:-LcOpl. K. de,C. Longmire, Scouts Company, to be with may of the guards and who Corporal, dated 20.5.15. Private obtains medical certificate ex-L. S. Greenhill Scouts Company, empting him from duty must to be Lance Cpl. dated 19.5.15. Private H. C. Gray Scouts Company, to be Lance Op : dated 20.

Parades: - Parades for Friday, 21st inst.; 530 p.m. Signalling Section-Musketry Instruction at Headquarters. Corporal Grimes B. E. will attend.—Remainder Company will parade outside the

Detail:-On duty at Headquarters and Kowloon:-From 7 s.m. to morrow to 7 a.m. 22nd. inst. No. 2 Sec. Att Batty & Right Section M. G. Co.

Officer on duty, Lieut. C. Smith; Orderly Officer Lieut. Preston; orderly Sergeant Corpl.

Carpenter. Guards will be found on and after 22nd inst., by the H.K.V.C. & H.K.V.R. alternately, as follows:--(a) Headquarters and Gun Club Hill; (b) Kowlo in (Deten-

tion Camp). On duty for week commencing from Amsterdam. According to 7 s.m. 22d inst: - At Gun Club Hill No. 1 Sec. Art. Betty and Left Section M.G. Co. Officer on

duty Lieut. Rees. At Volunteer Headquarters. May 22. Civil Service Company: May 23. No. 1 Section Secuts Company May 24. No. 2 Section Scouts Company: May 25. No. 3 Section Section Scouts Company: May 27. Contre Section M. G. Co: May 28. No. 2 Section Artillery

that during the last four Cere gigentic sheals of herrings Lave Orderly Sergeant Corpl. J. F. Bay, several thousands of tone

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lady assistant in library the latest that the fishermen were able to novelty in bookmarke): "Please, shovel them from the water into of your lady readers not to leave herrings is consequently very low. found a hairpin in my last book wholesale at 14 marks per and a fringe-net in this one, and hundred weight, while retailers superseded it. my wife is getting a bit suspic- sold them at the rate of 40 (more than a penny).

# INTERNATIONAL LAW

The Inherent Weakness of Conventions

What is International Law There are many definitions of it given by writers on the subject, but protably by the term is most generally understood those rules which regulate the conduct of States in their mutual dealingshostile as well as pacific. These rules have been agreed to from time to time by a group of Pow ers, and have ultimately succeeded in gaining the adhesion of the great majority of civilised ftates. But are these rules laws at all, and in what sense are they bind-

ing upon States? A law implies a power behind the law which can enforce it—and punish its non-observance; and in the case of States there would need to be a common superior which could take action at once if any State violated the rules of Interrational Law. From this point of view that which we call International Law is not law at all. But there was a period noon, before Mr. J. R. Wood, Gul so many hard races which was characterised by the Maroned, a Naval Yard constable two year old with the late Lord idea that there was a common superior which kept order between subordinate rulers. The Roman Empire claimed to be such a superior-and the claim was univerially recognised. As long as the Roman Empire remained intused a short pole to assault with at the end of six furlongs. strong the settlement of dis- complainint. putes between pations could be arranged by an appeal Rome, attough a ceries of judgments on such cases were submitted to her gave rise to no body of rules by which the conduct of nations could be guided-and none are to be found in

Roman Law. Even aiter the fall of the Western Empira conception of a common superior for nations was kept alive, and during the Middle Ages universal authority in interthe Papacy, and here again the follo claim was freely accepted. The Reformation, however, put an end once and for all to the noticn of a common superior over States. thus finishing the work begun by the growing sentiment of nationality, and the resecn of this was that the two Powerswhich according to theory should have been able to arbitrate with reference to the question in dispute-were themselves dragged into the quarrel, and thus their claim to represent a superior

authority became discredited. The theory of a universal superior having broken down. some other basis had to be found on which to build a system of International Law, in order that Europe might be saved from the danger of entire lawlessness. The foundation of a new system of "law to be observed by nations in their des ings with one a other was laid by the writings of Grotins burg has led to an interesting in the 18th century. Gretias tok decision, says a Reuter message as the ground of his system the theory of the Law of Neture, which, having been torrowed from

foreigners.

my war and berrings for ten plennigs (slightly the outcome of the growth of the results of their deliberations and as a yearling, bred in the sthletes would be negligible. last 100 years, and is mainly built effective. - Globs.

#### THE QUAINTS.

To night the Quaints are opening at the Theatre Royal on their return visit. Their tour in China has been attended with considerable success, and in Shanghai they played to full houses for eighteen nights; while did quits as well Tientsin and Peking. The at angements of the company only permit of a short stay in Hongkong this time, but the reputation which the company established for itself should ensure a repetition of the success which accompanied their first visit. The company is booked to appear at Bombay and Colombo, on their way to London, where Mr Salisbury will resume the engage ments, which were temporarily interrupted during his trip to the

#### CONSTABLE CHARGED WITH ASSAULT.

was charged with assaulting an- Cadogan's Redfern. The actual other Indian with intent to do first Invourite was Lord Cartargrievous bodily harm.

mada e Castro's office) defended. horse. He did no more, however,

plea that the case was one of ven- Costello, who also was faucied a ting spleen. There had been some good deal. difference between the parties Let Fly has improved a and on the occasion of the alleged | during the winter, having thickassault, complainant attempted ened and put on muscle in the tick in self-defence.

we went to press.

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Volunteer Concert. Volunteer : Headquarters Saturday next at 9 p.m.

the Romans with the Law of up on treaties between two or inexplicable running at Lincoln place in Berlin. This it its ment Nations, and administered by more Powers entered into on the when the horse started joint first is made on the authority of Count them in their dealings with termination of hostilities or as favourite with the winner, View Alderbert Franken Sier-torpe, the settling points of difference which Law. A tremendous fevourite for Vice President of the Garman In applying this Law of Nature bave arisen between nations the Newbury Cup was Mr. J. D. Executive commettee of the from Danzig that a somen has Grotius mintained that the re- which have been adjusted without Joel's Blue Stone, who had top Olympic Games, in I he tells us cognition of mutual right; was a resort to force. In addition to weight of 9.0. He was making that any change in the original which could be an enormous en-Scouts Company: May 26, No. 4. imprisonment for feeding Russian necessary for the existence of these, what has been aptly des- a first appearance; but there was conditions is impossible." The Ecciety: that such rights were cribed as a statute book of the an idea that he was in great form. information is frank and interest-The Cologne Gazette 1010 to derived from natural law, which Law of Nations has been develop The French jockey, Stern, had ing, but it is not likely to be is "the dictate of right reason, ed, the best example of which is the mount and the horse had considered, except as a delightful indicating that any act, from its to be found in the conventions every chance, but he was done with piece of humour, by anyone outmade their appearance in Luebeck agreement or disagreement with negotiated by the peace con- nearly a quarter of a mile from side Germany. We are also told that the rational nature, has in it a ferences at The Hague in 1899 home, though he ran on to finish the French Baron Goubertin, who moral turpitude or a moral necess- and 1907. These conferences fifth, just behind the well-fancied lives in Lausanne, "is in steady Male Borrower (holding out to caught in the shallow water so ity." The theory of a Law of were intended to form the basis Diadumenos. The chief two and friendly communication with Nature underlying International of an international legislature. year-old winners at the meeting Count Franken and that Law was at least seen to be philo They were not called together to were Duggie and Laramie. The meeting of the International Commiss, I wish you would tell some the boats. The price of fresh sophically uncound and in practice decide one question only, but former best a big field for the mittee in Switzerland this jest is untenable, and in process of time many. The inherent weaknesses Beckhampton, Two-year-Old likely. The truth is that if the where sardines are so abound ng. their iringe nets in the books. I At Travemuende they were sold the principle that International of these conventions however, are stakes. He is a son of the Two Olympic Games of 1916 are held Law must rest on general consent that not all the States of Interns. Thousand Guiness winner, Noil at all the venue will be America, tional Law sign them, and further Gow, his dam being the One and even if the war ended sud-Modern International Law is there is no means of making the Thousand Guiness winner, Aids, dealy the support of English

#### OUR SPORTS LETTER.

The Turi.

(From Our Own Correspondent.

April, 18. Several items of particular interest call for attention this week. Thus there was (our Racing Correspondent "Centsur" writes the attractive racing of last week end at Newbury. On the opening day the Greenham Stakes brought out several of the best known three year-olds: "on the Second day there was the race for the New bury Cup, a mile handicap. With the inture to consider, and that a ter all may be the main thing in racing, the Greenbam Stakes wa the more important. In 1909 is was won by the late King's Minoru, who went orand wo the Two Thousand Quintan and the Darby. This year it resulted in a dead-heat betwein Mr. J. Josl's Sunfire and Colonel Hall

Walker's Lat Fly, the latter At the Police Court, this after- being the animal which bad von's Volta, who has grown into a Mr. Haywood, (of Mr. L. d'Al- big and strikingly handsone It was alleged that the defend- than show fine areed and was do to Another that seemed to be out-Mr. Haywood put forward the classed, if not out-wayed, was

to strike the defendant and the right pa to and with his fine reco d latter used complainant's own behind him it follows that he was immensely expected to win. Then The case was proceeding as there was Sunfire, not so prominlent in the market but beautifully turned ou. by his very able trainer. This horse also has done well, and though heis rot a big one there is a let to like about him. the bull-log courage which enabled him to dead-heat with Let Fly. The latter gave the idea that he could have won had he cared to struggle more generouslly, and for that reason it is permissible to think that his hard races as a two-year-old have certainly soured him. He and Sunfire can renew their argument in the Two Thousand Guineas, in which race, however, they will be opposed to Friar Marcus and Pommera. As between the Greenham Stakes desd-heaters we should be inclined to give preference infuture to Sunfire though it should be it ited that this is by no means the general idea. The Cup race was won very

> essily by Lord Rusebery's Wrack who thus won the race for the Nelke's Outram was second and famous Sledmere paddocks, he

cost his present owner 550 guineas. He is a smart youngster. Laramie is a charming filly by the 1907 Derby winner, Orby, nd is owned by Mr. L. McOreery. She wen the Manten Two-yearold Staken. In both cases the winners were prenounced first

favourites.

in extemely quiet fashion on Colombo after a short tour of Tuesday of this week, and a note some of the fishing towns and may appropriately be made of villages on the west coast of the fact that Lard Wolverton, Coylon. Dr. Pearson is preparwho should have taken over the ing a comprehensive report of duties of Uhief Seward, has the fisheries of the island which retired in consequence of the call will deal particularly with the of Yeomanry duties. That being methods of fishing, with kinds of so the retiring Ohief Steward, fishes caught (especially the food Captain Greer, has consented to fishes), and with the life histories

of the Jockey Club. They report. may, therefore, remain closed for so king as the war lasts. As In the course of an interview regards the racing, a big disap- ob ained by a Times of Ceulon

directly his jockey asked him to when it will be possible for him do snything, and he was passed to undertake the work. out of the Dip by Mr. Nelke's Sy- "I have been a very keen addian, who is only a moderate vocate of trawling all slong." animal in the estimation of his be added, and with

winner, King's Day, Quite failed | when some new methods should to show in the race for the Fitz- be introduced whereby the food william Stakes, the event going supply will be increased." to Colonel Hall Walker's nest It had been mised as an argu-

the Visitors Plats under 95. a prophetio vein. I will suggest, with the ordinary line and not on grounds which are highly to fishing practised by the natives. be respected, that Black Jester | because trawlers would tan may win the City and Saburban, sources of supply which are at that Pommern may win the Two present absolutely untouched. Thousand Guineas a fortnight Trawlers would

Prism may win the Derby! Second year in succession. Mr. Germany and the Olympic Games. Affecting a detachment that is Mr. E. Halton's Woodwild third. | sublime, Germany, in their medley Wrack turned the Lincolnshire of war news issued to the world Handicap form upside down, for by wireless, nonchalantly an-A concert will be held at the there he was well besten by Out- nounce that there will be no on ram, and though the success of change in the arrangements for Lord Rosebery's colours at New- | the Olympic Games of 1916. In bury was popular snough it would other words, we are asked to have been more so but for the believe that the Festival will take

#### CEYLON SARDINES.

Suggested Tinning Industry For The Island

Mr. Joseph Pearson, Director of the Colombo Museum and The Newmarket season opened Marine Biologist, has returned to remain in office, and a new Ste- of the food fishes. The work ward has been found in Sir John has been in hand for some time Thursby. The three Stewards, Low-in fact Dr. Pearson had are therefore Captain Greer, made a start with it before ky Lord Villiers, and S.r John last went home on leave-but, as Thursby, an exceptionally strong may be well imagined, the underand respected trio. The attend- taking is by no means a light ance on the opening day one, and Dr. Pearson has still was exceedingly thin, and it much further information to was not even thought necessary collect before he is prepared to to open the privite rooms start the work of compiling the

Trawling Scheme. pointment was in store when His representative, Dr. Pearson was Majerty's three-year-old Jungle asked whether he had yet mate Cook failed to win the Diennial any investigations with a view to Stakes. This horse, a big though discovering the possibilities of rather s'nok looking chestnut to 1 the trawling grounds which are of Sandridge, had not previously known to exist off the Ceylon been seen on a racecourse, but coaste. Dr. Pearson replied that there was a belief that he was a his arrangements to carry out ingood one; at any rate, sufficiently vestigations in this direction had good towin this race. But it was been unfortunately upset by the his fate to collapse ignominiously war, and he could not say now

the food supply of Ceylon-and It was alt o'a general disappoint of Colombo in particular to very ment when the "Brocklesby" poor, I think the time has come

filly. Tillywhim, a daughter of ment against the introduction of Minoru. But the best two-year- a system of trawling for fish that old seen out was probably Mr. such a system would rob the Salvin's colt by Holiday House- | fishermen of Ceylon of their means Hestis, who won the Granby Plate of livelihood. This, Dr. Pearson very essily. A feature of the rest contende, will not be so. For one of the racing was that the two thing the fishermen are quite Spring Handicaps were both won | unable to supply fish in sufficient for Mr. J. B. Josl with his good quantities to meet the demand. performers Golden Sun and Osr- not only of the people of the helion. The former won the Cran- | island but of the ships which Sall ford Plate under 9.8 and the latter | at Colombo and which require enormous supplies. Again, traw-If I may conclude this week in lers would compete in no way. work over hence, and that Pommern or King | absolutely different waters to those which are fished by the natives with nets or with lines.

> Another important question connected with the fish industry of this Colony, Dr. Pearcon said. is that of dried fish. Ceylon imports some Rs. 2,000,000 worth of dried fish each year which could be quite easily prepared in his country. 'It seems to me." he added, that we want more up to date methods of curing. The methods adopted by the natives are very primitive and fish are not properly dried. Take for instance, the sardine i dustry At the present time it merely

> consists of carching sardines and drying them in the eug. The price the fishermen get for these sardines is to of thing extraordina arily small, for the simple reason that they are not worth more in their dried condition. The question is whether a Tinned Sardine Industry might rot be startedparticularly on the east coast

> question, as well as that of the possibility of a smoking and curing industry, was being investigated there as well as in

Madras,

Question of Dried Fish.

# LAMMERT

AUCTIONFER, SHARE & GENERAL BROKER

HE Undersigned has received instructions from Captain A. D. S. Powell to sell by Public Auction on

TUESDAY, the 25th May, 1915, commencing at 2:30 p.m., at his Residence No. 6 Torres Buildings,

Kowloon. The Whole of His Valuable Household Furniture

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Oak Extension Dining Table, Camphorwood Sideboard, Oak Dinner Wagon, American Ice Chest, Silver and Electro Plate, Chafing Dish, Electric Fitting, Fine Cooking Stove (new) Aluminium Cooking Utensils, etc.

Twin Brass Mounted Iron Bedsteads, Shanghai made Wardrobes, Chest-of-Drawers, Foochow Opium Divan, Large Zinc Bath and Geyser, etc.

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#### PUBLIC COMPANIES

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Ordinary Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, Hongkong on Tuesday, 25th May, 1915, at noon for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 50th April, 1915.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 20th instant to the 27th instant both days inclusive. JOHN D. HUMPHREYS

& SON, General Managers. Hongkong, 14th May, 1915,

#### CONSIGNEES

SHIRE" LINE OF STEAM-ERS. LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES,

UNITED KINGDOM & STRAITS. The Steamship

'Monmouthshire," having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of cargo by her are hereby informed that all goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, whence, and/ orfrom the whatves, delivery may

be obtained.

Goods not cleared by the 25th inst, will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed and damaged packages are to be left in the Godowns where they will be THE "STAR" FERRY Co., Ltd. examined on 25th instant at 9.30 a.m. Claims against the steamer must be presented within Notice is hereby given that the 10 days of arrival, otherwise they Seventeenth Ordinary Annual

will not be recognised. effected by us in any case what Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. **OYOF**。指於於於於於於於於於於於於於於於於於於於於

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DICK & HIS MOTHER-IN-LAW," Comic. TWO MEN & A MULE Miss TWEEDLEDUM IS TAKEN FOR A NIHILIST, Comic. 9.15 p.m. ORCHESTRA in attendance.

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RUSSIAN VOLUNTEER FLEET.

Leaving this Colony for two months, I have pleasure to inform the Shippers and Consignees of Cargo by the steamers of the Twenty Sixth Ordinary General Halibut, Cheung Kwan Kap during my absence, the business be held at the Company's offices, Loach, -Wu Yu. of the Hongkong Agency will be St. George's Buildings, on Saturcarried on by my Assistant, Mr. day, the 22nd May, 1915, at 12 Carlos E. Tavares.

Hotel Mansions. Hongkong, 17th May, 1915.

PUBLIC COMPANIES

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. Director. Meeting of this Company will be No Fire Insurance will be held at the Offices of Messrs. on Thursday, the 27th May, at Bills of Lading will be counter- 12.30 p.m. for the purpose of JARDINE, MATHESON ors together with a statement of

& Co., Ltd. Accounts to 30th April, 1915. The Register of Shares of the Hongkong, 18th May, 1915. Company will be Closed from Saturday 22nd to Thursday 27ik instant inclusive. By Order of the Board of

Directors. W. S. BROWN. Secretary. Hongkong, 15th May, 1915. Oper Til Midnight

### COMPANIES.

THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC CO., LTD.

Notice is hereby given that the Herrings,-Tso Pak... ... Russian Volunteer Fleet, that Meeting of the Shareholders will Labrus, -- Wong Fa Yu .... o'clock Noon for the purpose Capt. D. A. Lukhmanoff, presenting the Report of the Directors together with a State- Mullet, Chai Yu .... ... ment of Accounts to 28th Febru- Oysters, Shang Ho

Lobsters,—Lung Ha

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Monk Fish, -- Mong Yu ...

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Balmon-Ma Yau ... ...

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ary, 1915, and electing Directors Parrot Fish, Kai Kung Yum The Transfer Books of the Pike,—Fs Pau Fong and Auditors. Company will be closed from the Plaice, Pan Yu 8th May to the 2ind May both Pomfret, Black, -Hak Chong

days inclusive. By Order of the Board of GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Agents. Hongkong, 4th May, 1915.

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Note. In consideration of the loss sustained by discount or sub-

sidiary coinage, payment for all articles of food not exceeding 22

in value (excepting the articles enumerated in clause 5 in Procuses

tion No. 18 of the 30th October 1914, and in the above Schedulet shall it made in substitutions coin be subject to an additional element

New York, May 5.-General Our last report was issued on Malleterre, who was in command the 7th inst. and despatched per of the French Army Division et mail e.e. Sardinia. the taitle of the Marne, where here is no new feature to rehe was wounded, las written as port in our market for the past article, entitled The Only Post fortnight, and as mentioned in sible Peace," in which he says our last repot the daily routine the Allies will fight until the of hand-to no th lusiness ttill military power of Germany is continues. utterly crushed, in order to save Upon the announcement that fu ure generations from an un the Sinc-Japanese orisis had been provoked wer similar to that now smicably settled there was a being waged.

row reached the 'wearing-cown and we now close two to three Sept. 3-Russians occupy Lem-Germany stage, and the only dollars lower than our last quotapossible conclusion of it is the one tions and a dull market. Total to be dictated by the Allies, who sales. 2600; unsold and unhave already secretly made a pre- delivered in the godown, 70,000. liminary agreement regarding the Arrivals.-The mail str. Nub'a

and she must give up "some co stro ta &c.: 3000 bales. greater patt of Silesia.

mentioned by the French Gen. \$120. eral as one that will be insisted Raw.Cotton-Bengal, No Sales, uton by the Allies is that the 300 small bales Chinese have been Hobenzollerns must be displaced sold at \$25 per pical. Quotation, from their present place of rower. Bengal at \$16 to \$20; Chinese -Mainichi "Chronicle" Service, \$21 to \$25.50.

## GERMAN OPTIMISM.

The Cologne Gazelte counts so confidently on a permanent occapation of Belgium by Germany that it suggests the building of a canal from the Rhine at Dasseldorf to Antwerp and Zeebrugge. This, it declares, would give the Rhine its necessary outlet to the sea through German territory and would be of enormous benefit Clerinan trade by enabling mips to proceed direct to the heat of Germany.

Only a German opening to the Rhine can rectify the mischances of nature and history which have placed the sea coast so far from our coal mines and frontiers. Holland has shown itself quite friendly to such a canal. Moreover, Article 12 of the Treaty of 1839 between Holland and Belgium provinces for the necessary assent of the Dutch for a canal by Sitterd through Dutch Lomburg.

This respect for treaties is wrem rkable, and the Dutch may Brigade is a force of infantry or Nov. 5—England and France dewell marvel that the Germans should take the trouble to extend the canal from Antwerp to Zeebrugge, when on the map which accompanies the plan of the Cologne Gazette one end of the causi is directed straight into the Scheldt. But the real object of the canal is to divert trade from London.

We shall receive goods at a oher per rate, through the free port the Rhine, and our own prodicts will be sent at less cost auroad, to that in the future we should be able to compete still more starply with British trade, with a most encouraging prespect of achieving a complete success. L. and C. Express.

#### THE REASON FOR GERMAN UNPOPULARITY.

Rome, April 7 .- A telegram from Vienna to the Corriers della Sera relates that the Zeit has Ang. 1-Germany declares war on asked a number of important people why Germany has so many enemier, an i has published Aug. 2. -- German forces enter the enswers in its Easter number. Most of them say that envy and fear are responsible, but Field-Marshal Riegergives the following | Aug. 4-England sends ultimaamazing toply :- "Germany has so many enemies because she is the nation which excels the others. The world, as Schiller said, loves to darken that which shines, and drags in the dust that which is on high. Cocrates had to drink heml ck. Christopher Columbus was clat into prison, Jeans Christ was orreified.

There have been many assertions of the inlimacy between the Kaiser and the God of Battles. but this latest utterance is sure y tinique in its likening of modern Cleamany to the Saviour of the World.

#### HONGKONG YARN MARKET.

Mesers Polishwalla and Ke twall report as follows.

slight steadiners observable, but The General says the war has that only is ted for a day or two,

nature of the peace conditions. and extra str. Rangron Maru These include the last settle- from Pomtay, and sir. Fooksong ment of the fontier limits fom Calcutta h ve bought in tions of Germany. The writer 8200 bales for Highong, and taga that German terri'o'y 1740 bales Shanghai. Shipmer t must be limited by the Rhine, f.om Hongkong to Shangtai,

of the provinces along that river Shanghai, Indian yarn still" to France, together with Alsace remains neglected, though the Lorraine. In the east Prussian market is active for iceal product. Foland, Galicia, and East Prussia Jajanese Y. ro. - Sales effected | Sept. 23 - British troops from Dec. 23 - French Chamber votes must form a new Polish Kingdem, ore as follows, while rates are \$2 together with losen and the to \$3 lower all round :- 5' 0 bales Yellow Joss No. 20 at \$118 to Another condition of peace \$115,100 bales Setsu No. 20 at

## THE WAR.

# COUNTRIES ENGAGED.

Britain. Germany. Russia. France. Austria Belglum. Turkey

ARMY TERMS EXPLAINED. Army corps is a complete army Nov. 1 -- German naval victory on a small scale in itself. The 45,000 men.

Division is a force of infantry, with a strength of from 15,000 to 20,000 men.

cavalry. The infantry brigade The cavalry brigade is from 1,000 to 2,000 strong.

2,000 to 4,000 atrong. A cavalry regiment is from 500 to 1,000 men strong.

Squadron of cavalry is from 150 to 200 men strong. | Battery of artillery in the British | and about 200 men. In the German Army consists of 4

guns and 150 men. In the

Russian Army it consists of 8

PRINCIPAL EVENTS.

guns and 250 men.

June 28-Archduke Francis Ferdinand assassinated. July 23—Austria sends an ulti-

matum to Servia. July 31-Russia orders general mobilisation.

Russia. French Cabinetorders general mobilisation.

mands free passage through Belgium.

tum, demanding observance Dec. 6-Germans occupy Lods. of Belgian neutrality. Germany rejects ultimatum. German troops attack Liege. Aug. 5.—England announces a state of war with Germany.

Aug. 7.-Germans enter Liege. French invade southern Alsace. Aug. 8. - lialy reaffirms neutrality.

Aug. 15,-Austrians enter Servia. Austrian forces. Germany. Aug. 17. British expeditionary Dec. 16-German cruisers bom-

Aug. 19-Beginning of battle of Lorraine.

Aug. 20-Germansenter Brussels. Aug. 23-Germans enter Namur and begin attack on Mons. Aug. 24-British begin retreat

from Mons. tug. 25- French evacuate Mul-

lug. 26 - Non-partisan French Capinet organised. Germane take Longwy, Aug. 27 - Louvain burned by

Germans. Japanese blockade Teingtau. Aug. 28-Battle of Heligoland.

Sept. 2-Germanadvance reaches Senlis, thirty miles from Paris, and swings eastward. French Government moves to Bordeaux.

Sept. 5-Battle of the Marne

Sept. 7-Maubeuge taken by the Germans. Sept. 12-German retreat halts

on the Aisne. Sept. 20 - Germans Rheims and injure the famous

Oathedral. Sept. 22 - German bubmarine kir, Cressy, and Hogue. and invest Przemysl.

India land at Marseilles. Aniwerp...

Oct. 2 - Germans defeated at Dec. 28 - French occupy Augustowo. Oct. 5-Belgian Government re- Jan. 1, 1915-British battleship moved from Antwerp to

Ostend. Oct. 7-Bombardment of Antwerp Jan. 3-French capture Steinbach. beging. Oct. 9-Antwerp occupied by

the Germana. Oct. 12-A Boer commando in the Uspe Province mutinies. Jan. 8-French advance across Oct. 13 - Belgian Government

Battle begins on the Vistula. Oct. 15-Ostend occupied by the Germans.

Oct. 16-British oruiser Hawke sunk by German submarine. Oct. 24-Ten days' battle before Warraw ends in German defeat.

Oct. 27 — Russians reoccupy Lodz and Radom. Oct. 29-Turkey begins war on Jan. 31 -Germany inaugurates

Russia by naval attacks on Odessa and in the Crimea. Oct. 30-Col. Maritz, rebal leader driven out of Cape Colony.

off the cosst of Chili. strength varies from 35,000 to Nov. 3—German Equadron makes Feb. 5—Turks attempt to cross a raid on British coast near

Yarmouth. cavalry, and artillery, usually Nov. 4-German cruiser Yorck and sinks.

is from 4,000 to 7,000 strong. danelles forts bombarded. Russians reoccupy Jaroslav. Feb. 17 - Canadian contingent Nov. 6-Tsingtau surrenders.

Pruseis. Nov. 10-The Emden destroyed. Feb. 27.—Allied Fleet enters the Nov. 11—Germana capture Dix-

Nov. 12—Russians occupy Johan- Mar. 1—House of Commons votes

aleburg in East Prussis. and French armies has 6 guns Nov. 19 — House of Commons votes a new army of 1,000,000 men already under arms, exclusive of Territorials.

Nov. 23—Russians surround German corps south of Lodg. Nov. 26-British battleship Bulwark destroyed by explosion | March 10.-British capture in the Medway River. Ger-

circle near Lodz. Dec. 1 -German Reichstag votes

marks. King George in Flanders: grade. Gen. De Wet captur-

trians in three days' battle which ends in a notable Servian victory.

Dec. 8-British naval victory off Falkland Talands. British occupy Bussorsh, in Asia Minor. Dec. 9 - Gen. Byers, Boer

leader, killed at the Vaal Dec. 13-British submarine sinks the Messudieh in Dardanelles. Dec. 14 Serviana capture large to the Russians.

Japan sends ultimatum to Dec. 15-Austrians evacuate Belgrade. force completes its landing bard Boar borough and Harlepool.

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bombard Dec. 18 - Egypt proclaimed a. British protectorate. Gen. Botha regards Boer rebellion as at an end.

sinks British cruiters Abou- Dec. 20-26-Severe fighting on the line of the Bzura River. Russians capture Jarosiav Dec. 22-French Parliament as April 6. -His Majesty the King sembles.

war credit of £340,000,000. Sept. 28—Germans begin siege of Dec. 25—British naval and aerial April S.—Prinz Eitel Friederich raid against Cuxhaven.

> Georges, near Nieuport. Formidable sunk in the Channel.

Jan. 3-4-Russians win decisive viotory over Turks in the Caucasus, Russians overrun Bakovina.

Aisne, north of Soissons. transferred from Ostend to Jan. 13-Turks occupy Tabriz. Count Berchtold resigns. Oct. 14-Allies occupy Ypres. Jan. 19-German air fleet bombards Yarmou'h and other

Norfolk coast lowns. Jan. 21 —General Falkenhayn, Germau War resigns." Jan. 24-British naval victory in Bouman G C

North Sea: the Blucher sunk. Jan. 26-Germans lose two battalions at Givency and Cuin-

submarine raids on British shipping. Feb. 3-German destroyer sunk | Dockuli R by Russian submarine off

Denmark. German auxiliary cruiser sunk off Patagonia. Suez Canal. Feb. 6-Allies "resolve to unite

financial resources. strikes mine in Jade Bay Feb. 8-Total British cagasties 104,000. Torks retreat from

Suez Canal. clare war on Turkey. Dar. Feb. 10 -Germans, execute the rebel Maritz.

lands in France. Regiment of infantry is from Nov. 7 - Russians enter East Feb. 20-27-Over 10,000 Germans surrender in France.

Dardanelles after destructive bombardment.

supplementary credit of 37 millions and a fresh credit, of 250 millions. men, More than 1,100,000 March 8.—British aeroplanes attack Ostend.

March 9.—Second Canadian contingent lands in England. March 3-10.—Four German submarines accounted for.

Neuve Chapelle. mane break through Russian | March 14 .- Announced that German losses in La Basseo region | Atkinson W E total 10,000 in three days.

new credit of five billion March 14. - German cruiser Dresden sunk off Juan Fernandez Island. Dec. 2-Austrians occupy Bel- March 16.-Sir John French

estimates German losses in La Bassee region to be 17,000. Luxemburg. Germany de- Dec. 3-Servians turn on Aus. March 18.—British battleships Kynock Mr & Mrs. Irroaistible and Ocean and sunk by floating mines in Dardanelles. Admiralty an nounces that it has reason to believe the Karlsruhe-was sunk off the West Indies in November.

March 19.—Russians enter Memel, Cousland A East Prussis. Merch 21.—Futile Zeppelin raid on Paris.

March 24.—British sirmen carry Hardman A out successful attack on Hazeland F.A. German submarine works at Hoboken.

Der mink with all hands.

March 29.-Russian Fleet bombards the Barphorus. German aubmerine sinke West African liner Falaba. March 31 .- Australia offers another contingent.

forbids consumption wines, spirits and beer in any of his houses.

interned in Norfolk Navy Yard, U.S.A. April 12.-Kron Prinz Wilhelm puts in at Newport News. Announced that second (anadian contingent will be despatched in the near future.

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be subject to landing charges and if undelivered May 24th. 1915 at noon will be subject to both landing and storage obarges. No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected. All obafed and otherwise.

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Hougkong, 17th May, 1916.

### Commercia.

#### Bullion.

Messra. Samuel, Montagu & Co.'s weekly circular dated London, April 15, states that "the movements of gold during the week have been substantially in favour of the Bank of England.

The following amounts were received by the Bank:-

April 8, £1,142,000 in bar gold. April 8, £355,000 in sovereigns from mitcellaneous released

April 10, £9,000 in bar gold. April 10, £25,000 in sovereigns from miscellaneous BOUICES.

April 14, £613,000 in bar gold. April 14, ££616,000 in fereign gold coin. £350,000 in sovereigns released from mis-

cellanecu: sources. Withdrawals were made as under :-

April 8, £50,000 in sovereigns set saide for accourt of Argentina April 9, £257,000 'n tovereigna set aside for account of Argentins. April 10, 500,000 in sovereigns set aside for miscellaneous pur-

ровев. April 12, £40,000 in Fovereigns set aside for account of Argertina. April 13, £120,000 in tovereigns set aside on a count of Argentina. April 14, £149,000 in sovereigns set aside on ac ount of Argentina. April 14, £10,000 in fcreign gold coin.

Daring the week the net inстазе маз £1,984,000.

The output of the Transvaal for March, 1915 was £3 202 514. as compared with \$2,915,346 for March, 1914, and £2,872,406 for February, 1915.

With reference to silver, the circular states that the undertane remains good, though very list'e animation is apparent upon the surface.

Continuital demand las been less in evidence, and enquiry from the Ea t very sluggish. Indeed, this week's In lian shipments are exceptionally small.

Statistics showing the import." of silver from the United States of America during the first three months of 1915 and also of 1914 will be found to be of in threat.

Imports. January... 8,056,225 February ". 7 936,593 4,694,175 March..... 5,266,737 5,311,613

Total ...21,259,555 16,885,449

The wide discrepancy between the two series of figures is very noticeable, the total imports during the first quarter of this year being 25 per cent: larger than those for the same period of 1914, but it should be remembered that during the first three months of 1914 the Syndicate which took over the huge stock of the defunct Indian Specie Bank was known to be realising its stock, and this fact probably deterred the United States from selling freely.

Mexican supplies, which, as a rale travel via New York, and are in the above totals, have been much reduced twing to disturbances in that country, and it is therefore remarkable that the total for the first quarter of this year should nivertheless" be 10 per cent. more than a quarter of the total imports from the United States of America during 1914.

Imports from Canada during the tro regiods contrasted show very little variation. The totals were 4,133,619 oz. and 4,449,947 oz. for 1915 and 1914 respectively.

Daving the first quarter of this year, the total imports into this country from abroad were 26.105.164 oz., as compared with 22,449,046 during the first quarter of 1914. In spite of this, the price has been on an ascending scale, even though a very great shrinkage in trade demand has taken place as a consequence of the War, and the fact suggests that the market as a whole stands on a sound footing.

An Indian Currency Return for April 7 gives the following details, in lakhs of Rupees:--Notes in Circulation... 60,89 Reserve in Silver Coin 31,60 Gold Coin and Bullion 7,64 Gold in Eugland ..... 7,65 The stock in Bombay consists of 6.500 bars, as complered with

7.500 last week. A shipment of 345,000 oz. has been made from San Francisco to Hongkong during the week."

#### SHARE REPORT

# QUOTATIONS

S.-SELIERS SA-SALES

To-da		1914.	1914. 1915.	1915.	
STOCK. Closi	Number Pur Pa of Value U	d Highest	Lowest Highest.		Last Dividend and Date
			now	now	
Banks.  H'kong& S'har Banking Corp. £76/-	b.  -  150,000 \$125 a	ll   855 July.	700 Oct. 790	790	£2: 3/- & 5/- bonus at ex 1/91/6 equal to \$27.27 for 1/2 year ending 31/12/14
Marine Insurances. 260 b. Canton Insurance Office, Ld. div. North China Ins. Co., Ldt.170	10,000 \$250 5	1 .	305 Oct. 360 133 Jan., 170	. "360 170	{Final of \$4 a/c 1913. Interim of \$18 a/c 1914.
Union Ins. Society of C'ton,Ld.\$855	g 12,400 \$250 10	(10)		<b>\$</b> 855	Final of \$20 and bonus of \$5 making \$55 for 1913 and
Yangtsze Ins: Assoc. Ld\$225	b. 12;000 \$100 60	2:0 April	1921/ Jan. 225	. 225	Interim of \$30 for 1914
Fire insurances. Cnina Fire Ins. Co., Ld\$130 H'kong Fire Ins. Co., Ld\$385	b. 20,000 \$100 20 b 8,000 \$250 50	160 July 395 Feb.		130 385	\$9 for 1913 \$27 for 1913
Shipping. China & Manila S.S. Co., Ld44.90 Douglas Steamship Co., Ld. \$473	b. 30,000 \$25 al b. 20,000 \$50 al		1 1 = = = = .	4.90	\$1 for 1906
Hengkong, C. & M.S.S. Co., Ld.23	b. 80,000 \$15 all	2 0	27½ Nov. 47½ 22 Dec. 23	45 23	\$3 for year ending 30.6.14 {Final of 40 cts. making 90 cts for year ending 31.12.14
Indo-China Steam Navigation 199 sa. Co., Ld.	$\mathbf{s} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 60,000 \\ 60,000 \end{array} \right. \mathbf{\pounds} 5 \left. \right\} $ all	79 Jan.	50 Sept. 99	98}	ferred shares & 5 % on de- ferred shares for year 1913
Shell T'port & Trading Co Ld.93/-	3,797,610 £1 all	106/- Feb.	70/- Sept. 93/-	93/-	Interim of 1/- a/c 1914C. No. 23
Star Ferry Company, Ld\$39	s 40,000 \$10 all	49 Mar.	40 Nov. 39	36	\$1.70 per share and bonus of 30 cents per share for year ending 30'4'14
	7,000 \$100 all	96½ Feb. 31 Jan.	70 Nov. 117 17 Dec. 291	117 281	\$3 for 1912 \$3 for 1897
Mining. Kailan Mining Admin'tion. 33/6	3. 1,000,000 £1 all	41/- Feb.	33/6 Dec. 33/6	33/6	Final of 5 % Coupon No. 4.
		3.10 Jan. 39/- Feb.	1.90 Nov. 3.60 19/6 Nov. 32/6		ing 30/6/14 1/2 for 1909 1/- mak. 7/6 a/c, 1913
Docks, Wharves and Godewns &c.					
H'kong & K.W. &G. Co., Ld. \$72  "H'kong & W'poa D. Co., Ld \$61  S'hai Dock& Eng. Co., Ld 51  S'hai & H'kew W. Co., Ld 83	8. £0,000 \$50 all 50,000 \$50 all 55,700 t. 100 all 36,000 t. 100 all	77 Jan.	73 Nov. 72 53 Oct. 61 50 Dec. 51 821/2 Dec. 83	57 (a) . 51	\$3.50 for year 1914 \$3 dividend for year 1914 Tls. 5 for 1913 Tls. 5 for 1914
i ands. Hotels and Buildings. Arglo French Lands	13,000 t.100 t.100 20,000 \$50 50		94 120 Dec. 113	94	Tls. 61/2 for year ending 29.2.14  § \$2.50 for half year ending
H'phreys Estate & F. Co., Ld. \$7	50,000 \$100 all 150,000 \$10 all 6,000 \$50 20	1171/2 July 91/4 Jan.	98 Nov. 1(8 7 Nov. 7	7	\$3\for \for year ending 31'12'14' 45 cents for year 1914
K'loonLand&BuildingCo., Ld \$40 b Shanghai Landst.101	78,000 t.50 all	98 Dec.	44 Feb. 40 89 Oct. 101	40 101	\$3 for 1914 { Final of 6 p.c. making 12 p.c. for 1914
West Point Building Co., Ld. \$70 b H'kong Central Estates\$100 B	19,500 \$50 all 10,000 \$100 all	73 June	66 Feb. 70 100	70 100	\$2.25 for half year ending 31.12.14 44.09 for 7 months ending 31.12.14
Cotton Nills.  Ewo Cotton S. & W. Co., Ld. t.155 b  Henglong Cotton Co	125.(00 \$10 all.	138 July 81/4 Mar.	125 May 155 b 7 June 71		Tls. 12 for year ending 31'10'14 50 cents 31'7'08
Kung Yik	8,000 t.100 all		11 Mar. 1434	1334	Tls. 1.20 for year ending 30°11°14 Tls. 12 for 1913 Div. Tls. 6. Bonus Tls. 4. Extra Bonus Tls. 1, year end'g 30'6'14
Miscellaneous. China Borneo Company, Ld. \$10 s. China Light & Power Co.,	(0,000 \$19 a)]	12 May	10 Dec. 10	10	85 cents for 1914
Po. (Spec. shares)	10.(00 \$5 all 50,000 \$1 all 125,(00 \$10 all	4.90 July		<del></del> ',	% for year ending 28 .2.06
Fairy Faim Company, Ld\$34 b. Green Island Cement Co. Ld 6.90	40,000 \$10 all 40,000 \$10 all	9 Jan. 39 June 6.90 Jan.	7 Nov. 8.10 35 Aug. 34 5 Dec. 6.90	34	70 cts, for 1914 1.50 for year ending 31.7.14 10 cts. for 1914.
Hongkong Electric Co., Ld	60,600 \$10 all 6,500 \$25 all	49 Jan. 21712 July	36 Nov. 41½ 174 Dec. 184	41} 184	\$1.80 per share for 1913 Final of \$6 making \$81 for 1914
Hongkong Kore Mig. Co., Ld \$26} b. Hongkong Tramway Co., Ld. 5.15 b.		25 June 13/- July	22 Apr. 261 7/- Feb. 5.20	261∕ <u>∕</u> 5.15	Final of \$1 making \$2 for 1914 Final div. of 6d. making 71d per share for 1913
Langkatst.41 b.		64½ Mar.	28 Dec. 41	40	Interim of T. 1 making T. 2
Peak Tramway Co., Ld. (Old) \$10 Do (New) \$1 s.	25,000 \$10 all 50,000 \$10 \$1.	101/2 Jan. 93 cts. Jan.	91/4 June 10 75 cts. Dec. \$1	10 \$1	80 cts. on fully paid shares and 8 cts. on \$1 paid shares for year ending 30.4.14;
Philippines Ld	75,000 \$10 all 12,000 \$10 10			, 5 \$	None 1.50 for 1910.
Steam Laundry Co., Ld\$31/2 n	13,200 \$50 all 20,000 \$5 all	500 June	20 4 Nov. 3½	3} 3	None 35 cts. for year ending \$1.5.14
Union Water-boat Co., Ld\$16½ b. Watson and Co., Ld\$7.10 b.	1	221/4 Feb.   81 April	17 Jan. 16]" 6.90 Dec. 7.10	16}	\$1.00, per share for year end- ing \$1,12,1914 0 cts. for 1913
William Powell, Limited\$61/2 s.		, and a first transfer of the second	6½ Dec. 63	61/2	50 cts. on old shares and 25 cts. on new year shares for
S. C. Morning Post	1				year ending 30.6.14 1. Interm a/c year 31.8.14
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EISHI ONO, Manager. Hongkong, 15th March, 1915.

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Wm. DICKSON, Hongkong, 11th April, 1912. [ 3

OPIUM QUOTATIONS,

Feb. 25 Malwa, New ..... 19,100 per p. Malwa, Old ...... 9,200 ,, Patna, New ....... 9,325 perche. Patna, Old ...... 9,200 Benares, New ..... 9.050 Benares, Old ...... 8,950

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#### **OONTEMPORARY** OPINION.

White Man and Black.

The following leading article was taken from the Fublic Ledger

of April 6. Happily the progress of coloured race in America and the overworking of its industrial and social salvetion do not depend upon delirious popular interest in a pugilistic carcival." The real leadership does not rest with the most eminent exponents of fistic prowess, but with the voted, patient, year-alter-year endeavour of such a man as Booker "Washingt in to direct his people to the useful and profitable development of their capacities.

the roped ring which has focussed dividend of 333 per cent, leaving) "the world's a tention is that it emphasises an an'agenism which does not exist except when it is in such ways as this artificially of a "White Hope" has implied the danger of undue presumption on the last of the coloured rate in case "Jack" Johnson continged to hold the champion ship. The Black Peril, in the minds of certain timo:ous folk, bas supereeded the yellow. They hail the victory of Willard with a cense of relief, as the final disposition of the tozey of some menacing abony Colossus that has terrified their dreams.

The victory of Willard does not establish anything except the fact that no champion is unconquerable, and the man who keeps himself fit, presupposing a mental and physical parity, has the best ohance to win in the prize-ring as anywhere else. "Jack" Johnson had grown careless upon victory. Undefeated, he came to think him self infallible, and lived as be pleased. His muscles grow flabby an this wind was short. A life of self-indulgence made it imposeible for him to "come back" and to undergo the gruelling modern gladiato. He is a dethroned idol, and the crowd transfera its allegisms to the new champion. The moving-picture men are happy because the fight was sufficiently protracted to agence rich profits from the exhibition of the films.

The result confirms the accuracy of Mr. Rocap, the sporting editor of the Public Ledger, in a prediction that brought upon him Johnson's displeasure, when he said that Johnson's condition was such that without a surprising reversal of form he could not win. Johnson carried 13 of the 26 rounds, and Willard but 5. Yet when the supreme test came the stamina of the white man told. is to b, hoped that this is the last | 000, against £50,000, pagilistic encounter to emphasise recial animosities and to make it appear that the white race and vices show a net decrease of £308.the black are, by rature and 105; the total amount required heradity, foemen.

# COMPANY MEETING.

Klanang Produce Company.

rubber, coconut, and coffee craps. opportunity." Continuing, he stated that the profit for the year was £20,457, available. Two interim dividends | pire are suspended. of 15 per cent, each had been paid, leaving £14 577 to be dealt The directors proposed that £1,230 should be transferred drone. Polew and Marshall Island can to reserve, raising it to £35,000, now be accepted for transmission. The mischief of the contest of and they recommended a final £3,850 to be carried forward.

prudent

conserve their strength financially at a time when the created and fomented. The talk outlook was far from clear, and anything like settled condition could not be depended upon. The estimates for the current year provided for a exop of 440,000 ba. of rubber on an expenditure that worked out at about 91. per lb. ex ship Louron, and 1,200,000 coconut, equal to, say, 285 tons copra, to cost about £12 10 . per Japan via Kobe---Per KUTSANG, 21st ton, ex-ship London. They had sold forward for the remainder of the year five tons per month of their first-grade rubber at rates only slightly under those at present roling. During the past eight or nine months much had happened which had a direct influence on the company's interests: for example war risk insurance, heavy increase in rates of ocean freights. higher cost of estate supplies, etc. | Fhilippine Islands-Per LOONGSANG. | He was not complaining of these extra charges—they were part of | Wei-bal-wei & Tientsin-Per CHIPthe price paid by them for their share in the Empire and, in common with every one interested in | Shanghal & N. China--Per HANGSANG British colonies and protectorates they were willing and glad to regimen of spare diet and hard meet every reasonable call that work that is the portion of the was made with the object of suppressing the disturbers of the Tientsla-PukowRailway Shanghai Br. world's peace, and of bringing P.O. Wednesday 26th last.) the war as speedily as rossible to the cnly conclusion acceptable to our nation. As to their own position, they could look forward to the future with renewed confid- | Bwat ence: Mr. J. L. Anstruther seconded the resolution, which was agreed to.

More Money for Secret Service. Haiphong -Por KAIFONG, 25th inst. 10

The Civil Service Estimates for the year ending March 31, 1916, and in the final rounds the tide issued on Tuesday show a total of battle turned. It was a victory net decrease of £118,006, the o' plack and physical hardihood figure being £4,604,991, as against and skill, of training for months £4,722,997 for the previous year. with a single end in view, and of The largest increase is one of evoted pertinacity worthy of £100,000 for secret service, the employment in a better cause. It estimate for 1915-16 being £150,-

> The Foreign and Octonial Serbeing given at £1,486,811.

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Much inconvenience and delay in the delivery of correspondence is caused by The ordinary general meeting residents who change their addresses, of the Klanang Produce Company failing to notify the Coneral Post Office. was held on April 13 at the In- Residents arriving in or leaving the Colstitute of Chartered Accountants, ony, or changing their address in the Col-London. Mr. D. K. Michie pre- ony, are requested to notify the clerk at sided, and in moving the adoption | the Poste Restante, General Post Office, of the report referred to last year's of the change of address at the earliest

which, with the amount brought | The Services to Germany, Austria, and forward, made a total of £23,472 their Colonies, and to the Ottoman Em-

MAILS DUB.

America, Sibera, 24th last.

MAILS CLOSE TO-MORROW.

Haiphong .-- Per DAIGIM .. 21st inst., 9

Swatow, Amoy & Foochow-Per HAI-CHING, 21st inst. noon. Holhow & Bangkok--Per HOPSANG

21stinst 4 p.m.

SATURDAY, 22nd May.

Chingwantao-Per [NNGSHAN, 22nd inst. 9 a.m.

22nd inst. 2 p.m.

BHING, 22nd inst. 4 p.m.

22nd May, 4 p.m. Shanghai, and North Chica. (Europe via Siberia) - Per

E CHENAN, 22nd inst. 4 p.m.

SUNDAY, 23rd May.

Amoy, and Formosa via Tamsui --Per KAUO M., 23rd inst. 9

TUESDAY, 25th May.

U. Kingdom --- Por NELLORE | Buckster. 25th inst. 9 a.m.

Straits, Ceylon, Port Said, Marseilles, &

Swatow. Amoy & Foodbow-Per HAI-

MUN. 25th May, 2000. Philippine Is.—Per TEAN, 25th inst. 3 p.m

Shanghal, and North China (Europe via Siberia) - Per ANHUI, 25th inst., 3 p.m.

[Tientsin-Pukow Rallway Shanghai Br P. O. Saturday, the 29th May.]

WEDNESDAY, 26th May

Swatow, Amoy, Formosa via Takao and Anping —Per SOSHU MARU, 26th May, 9 a.m.

Shanghal, N. China & Japan via Kobe-Per JAPAN, 26th inst. 10 a.m.

Signature of the Siberia)-Per KO-

(Tientsin Pukow Service Shanghai B P. O. Saturday, 29th inst.)

THURSDAY, 27th May.

Bhanghai and North China (Europe via Biberia) —Per LIANGCHOW,27th last, 3 p.m.

[Tienteln-Pultow Railway Shanghai Br P.O. Tuesday, 1st June.1

Formoss via Keelung, Shang-hai, Japan via Moji, Victoria, B.C. & Seattle Wash & United Kingdom via Canada - Per

ARRIVED.

SHIPPING NEWS.

3. Rickmers, Dutch. s.s. 573. J. Schmerman, 19th inst. General-A. P. &

Chiyuen, Chinese s.s. 1,177, W. Ross, 20th inst,-Shanghai, 16th inst. Gen. -- C. M. S. N. Co.

Chenan, Br. s.s. 1.354, W. L. Jones, 20th inst. -Amoy, 15th inst. Gen. -B.

besus, Br. s.s. 4.294, James Inketer, 19th inst.-Shaughai, 16th inst. Gen.--B. & S.

Kaijo Maru, Jap. s.s. 1,292, Y. Yamamoto. 20th inst.—Swatow, 19th instant, Gen.-O.S.K. Oriental, Br. s.s. 3,035, A. L. Valentini. 19th inst.-Bombay, 5th instant,

Registered Letters to the Caroline, La- Halching, Br. s.s. 1,267, W. Passmore, 19th 2. Formosa Channel....... , & Oo.

Gen.-P. & O. S. N. Co.

Loongsang. Br. s.s' 1,092, G. Goo. Loank. 18th inst.-Manila, 18th instant, Gen.-1. M. & Co. ..

Nubia, Br. s.s. 3,697, G. F' Lyndon, 19th inst .- Shanghal, 16th inst. Gen .--P. & O. S. N. Co.

DEPARTED.

May 19

Awa Maru for Scattle via Keelung Kashing for Canton Kakamatsu for Canton Chingohow for Port Parseval Kield for Hongay Kumsang for Calcutta via Singapore Sul Kai for Kwang Chow Wan Ikoma Marufor Dairen Taishum for Canton Kucichow for Tientsin via Amoy Hinsang for Sandakan

Kintuck for Dalnyvia Shanghai

Choysang for Canton

**CLEARANCES AT THE** HARBOUR OFFICE.

May 19.

Sabimo Rickmers for Tamsui via F'chow Nubla for Bombay via Singapore. Albiana for Changwantao Kitano Maru fer London via Singapore Wing Koo for Canton

May 2C.

Tongles for Singapore Oriental for Shanghai Chenan for Canton Yingchow for Shanghai Anna for Bangkok Yei Maru No Zfor Canton Eiger for Dalney via Newchwang Hainchang for Canton. Dalgi Maru for Haiphong

PASSENGERS ARRIVED

Per s.s. Loongsang from Manila-Mr

Per s.s. Kitano Maru from Japan etc.--Mesars Alkemade, T D W Bannister. J Baring, Miss E G Baylis, HBatlia, Mr&Mrs A L Ham & Baby, Mr & Mrs A Mountain, De & Mes Law Keem. Mrs V Meier, H M Shirazee, EH Summers, FA Maher.

Per s.s. Choysang from Shanghai-Mr

Per s.s. Oriental from Shanghai--Messrs

B Vania, R Sethin, J Da Costa, key & Mrs Aldrich, Miss H Aldrich, A N Compton, A H Compton, H 88mith, Eng Com Read, W Marshall, D Mickenjia, Mr & Mrs Edwards, O Hart, T Boon, Mr & Mrs Baller, Laman Trip, W Suntriemer, O Whiter.

Per s.s. Chenan from Snanghal-Miss King, Mrs Caldwell, Butcher.

PASSENGERS DEPARTED

Per ss. Nubia for London etc .- Qr Mr Wind Direction ... SW S Bit & Mrs Norton, Bgt Major Griffin, Mrs Humphries, Master W Humphries, Sgt & ton, NO Wilson, RB James, W.R Dook-Bubili, Miss N B Machad., Mr & Mrs 8 B Cartor, M Mondos, E Gomes, Mr and Mrs

FRIDAY, #8th May.

Australia, Tasmania, Thursday Is.—Por ALDEN.

Swatow, Amoy & Foothow-Per HAI TAN 28th May, noon.

Oysters, Fresh, Pried or Stewed ESHIDZENHAM M. 17th May, Kindon Haddocks, Kippers &cc.

### WEATHER REPORT.

On the 20th at 10 55-Pressure has depreased considerably over easiern Japan and the Bonins, and slightly over the northern shores of the China Sea; alight to moderate increases are general cise.

A weak anticyclone covers the Eastern and Yellow Seas, and depressions are situated to the west of Haipbiegand south. east of Tokio.

Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.03 inches. FORECAST FOR THE M HOURS

ENDING AT NOON TO-MORROW. Forecast. District. S. winds. moderate

Hongkong and Neighbour- fair to loloudy. squally,

N. & N.E.

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